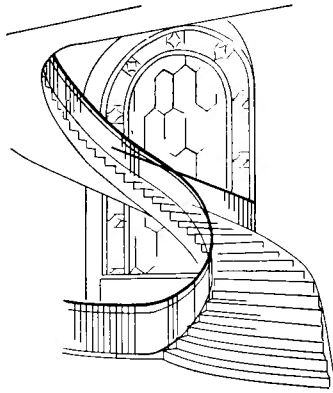


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REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to law this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, Hon. W. Cecil Neill of Muscogee, and opened with prayer by the Rev. J. Sprole Lyons of Atlanta.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names :

Adams of Newton	Brannen	Davis of Oglethorpe
Adams of Walton	Brantley	DeFoor
Anderson	Brown of Emanuel	DeLaPerriere
Arnold	Brown of Hancock	Dickerson
Atkinson	Brownlee	Dixon
Baldwin	Bush	Dobbs
Beck	Byrd of Crisp	DuBose
Beckham	Camp	Dudley
Bentley	Carr	Duncan of Dawson
Bird of Taliaferro	Carswell	Duncan of Hall
Blalock	Childs	Dykes
Bleckley	Clark of Colquitt	Emmis
Bloodworth	Clark of Webster	Evans
Boatwright	Clifton	Ficklen
Bobo	Collier	Fletcher
Boswell	Collins	Folsom
Bowden	Corbitt	Fowler
Bowen	Cowart	Foy
Boyett	Culpepper	Franks
Bozeman	Daniel of Heard	Gann
Braddy	Daniel of Troup	Grant
Branch	Davis of Floyd	

Gresham	Lankford of Toombs	Riley
Griffin	Lewis	Robinson
Griffith	Logan	Russell
Greene	Luke	Rutherford
Grovenstein	McClelland	Salmon
Guess	McClure	Sapp
Gunnels	McDonald of Mitchell	Shettlesworth
Haddock	McDonald of	Sibley
Hamilton	Richmond	Singletary
Harris	McGarity	Smiley
Hatcher of Burke	MacIntyre	Smith of Bryan
Hatcher of Muscogee	McMichael	Smith of Carroll
Hawkins	Maddox	Smith of Haralson
Henderson	Malone	Smith of Meriwether
Herring	Mann	Steele
Hillhouse	Manning	Stone
Hines of Decatur	Mason	Stovall
Hines of Sumter	Mayo	Strickland
Hodges	Miles	Sumner of Johnson
Holland	Mixon	Sumner of Wheeler
Holloway	Moore of Appling	Swift
Horne	Moore of Fulton	Swindle
Houser	Moye	Tatum
Houston	Mundy	Thompson of Coweta
Howard of Forsyth	Neal of Union	Thompson of Dodge
Howard of Screven	Nichols	Trippe
Hufstetler	Owen	Turner
Hullender	Parks	Tyson
Hunter	Parrish	Valentino
Hyman	Patten	Van Landingham
Jackson	Penland	Van Zant
Jones of Coweta	Perkins	Vocelle
Jones of Thomas	Perryman	Walker
Jones of Walker	Peterson	Wall
Johnson of Bartow	Phillips of Jasper	Watkins
Johnson of	Phillips of Telfair	Way
Chattahoochee	Pickren	Webb
Johnson of Pickens	Pilcher	Weston
Keith	Price	Whitley
Kennedy	Pruett	Whitaker of Lowndes
King of Jefferson	Quincey	Whitaker of Rockdale
King of Wilcox	Ramsey	Whitworth
Kittrell	Reagan	Williams of Harris
Knight	Reville	Williams of Miller
Langford of Hall	Ricketson	Williams of Walton

Wimberly
Winship
Wood

Woodard
Worthy
Wyatt

Wynne
Mr. Speaker

The following message was received from the Senate through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has met in regular session and is ready for the transaction of business.

The following resolution was read and adopted:
By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 112. *Resolved*, by the House of Representatives, that the Clerk of the House notify the Senate that the House of Representatives is now in regular session and ready for the transaction of business.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 113. Be it resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, that a committee consisting of three from the House and two from the Senate be appointed to notify the Governor that the

General Assembly is now in regular session ready for the transaction of business and for the reception of such messages and communications as His Excellency, The Governor, may see proper to make.

The Speaker appointed the following members on the part of the House: Messrs. Mundy of Polk, Ennis of Baldwin, and Adams of Newton.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 114. *Whereas*, some of the members of the House have passed to the Great Beyond since our last session, and *Whereas*, it is fit and proper that the House should take some proper action in reference to the memory of such deceased members,

Now therefore be it resolved by the House that the speaker do appoint a committee of three members to draft proper resolutions and recommend to the House such action as may be deemed proper in the premises.

The following message was received from the Senate through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted the following resolution of the Senate to-wit:

A resolution providing for a joint committee of two from the Senate and three from the House of Representatives to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the General Assembly has convened in regular session and is ready for the transaction of business.

The committee on part of the Senate under the above resolution are Messrs. Nix of 51st, Jones of 37th.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and concurred in:

By Mr. Nix of the 51st—

A resolution providing for a joint committee of two from the Senate and three from the House of Representatives to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the General Assembly has convened in regular session and is ready for the transaction of business.

The committee on the part of the House under the above resolution was as follows: Messrs. Mundy of Polk, Ennis of Baldwin, and Adams of Newton.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Webb of Lowndes—

House Resolution No. 115. *Whereas*, Hon G. A. Whitaker, a member of this House, representative from the County of Lowndes, has had to undergo a surgical operation, which prevents his attendance upon this body at this time; *Therefore*, be it resolved, by the House of Representatives, now assembled, that we sympathize with Representative Whitaker in his illness, and trust that in the Providence of God he will, shortly be fully restored to health, and enabled to take his accustomed place with us.

Be it further resolved, That leave of absence is hereby granted to Representative Whitaker during the time he may be detained on account of said operation and illness.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 116. Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, that the General Assembly convene in joint session on Thursday, June 29th, 1922, at eleven o'clock A. M., to receive such communication as the Governor may have to make.

The following resolution of the House was read:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 117. A resolution relative to the Majority and Minority Reports of committee investigating the Highway Department.

By unanimous consent the above resolution was tabled.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of the above resolution and the Minority and Majority Reports of the Investigating Committee of the State Highway Commission were ordered to be printed.

The committee appointed to notify His Excellency, the Governor, that the General Assembly had convened and was ready for the transaction of business reported that the Governor had been so notified.

The following message from His Excellency, the Governor, was read:

June 29, 1922.

Hon. Cecil Neill, Speaker,

House of Representatives,

Capitol.

My dear Mr. Speaker:

I beg to hand you herewith certified copies of election returns for Representatives from the counties

of Fannin, Worth, Wilcox, and Whitfield, as transmitted to me by the Secretary of State.

Very respectfully,

THOS. W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

March 3rd, 1922.

Hon. Thos. W. Hardwick, Governor,

State Capitol.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report to you the results of an election held in Wilcox County, Georgia, March 1st, 1922, for the purpose of electing a representative in the Georgia Legislature to fill the unexpired term of Hon. J. R. Monroe, deceased. Following is the result thereof:

R. O. Holton received 368 votes.

John N. King received 572 votes.

Respectfully,

S. G. McLendon,

Secretary of State.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1922.

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March 27th, 1922.

Hon. Thos. W. Hardwick, Governor,

State Capitol.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report to you the results of an election held in and for the County of Whitfield, State of Georgia, March 24th, 1922, for the purpose of electing a representative from said county to fill the unexpired term of N. A. Bradford, deceased. Following is the result thereof:

Dennis Barret received 614 votes.

W. M. Sapp received 786 votes (elected).

Respectfully,

S. G. McLENDON,

Secretary of State.

June 5th, 1922.

Hon. Thos. W. Hardwick, Governor,

State Capitol.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report to you and hereby certify that an election was held in Worth County,

Georgia, May 31st, 1922, for the purpose of electing two (2) members of the General Assembly in and for said county, to fill the unexpired terms of G. R. Nottingham, resigned, and Hon. Mark Tison, deceased. Following is the result thereof:

W. O. Bozeman, received 954 votes (elected).

C. W. Hillhouse received 823 votes (elected).

W. S. Hufstetler received 460 votes.

R. T. Sizemore received 328 votes.

O. M. Thomason received 445 votes.

Respectfully,

S. G. McLENDON,

Secretary of State.

June 20th, 1922.

Hon. Thos. W. Hardwick, Governor,

State Capitol.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to report to you and hereby certify that an election was held in Fannin County, Georgia, June 14th, 1922, for the purpose of electing

a representative in and for said county, to fill the unexpired term of Ben S. West, resigned. Following is the result thereof:

Blaine VanZant received 845 votes (elected).

J. B. Chastain received 829 votes.

Respectfully,

S. G. McLENDON,

Secretary of State.

The following members-elect came forward to the Clerk's desk and took the oath of office, the oath being administered by the Hon. Alexander W. Stephens, Associate Justice of the Court of Appeals:

Mr. W. M. Sapp of Whitfield.

Mr. John N. King of Wilcox.

Mr. W. O. Bozeman of Worth.

Mr. C. W. Hillhouse of Worth.

Mr. Blaine VanZant of Fannin.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Dykes of Dooly—

House Resolution No. 118. *Whereas*, Providence

in its divine wisdom has, since we last assembled, called from our hall our honored and loved Chaplain, Rev. H. J. Ellis, and

Whereas, he was held in affectionate regard by all the members of the House, each and every one of whom miss him and deplore his untimely taking off;

Therefore, Be it resolved by the House of Representatives that the sincere sympathy of its members and officers be extended his bereaved family and a copy of this Resolution be by the Clerk furnished them.

Be it Further Resolved that the Speaker of the House be authorized to name a successor to our late esteemed and lamented Chaplain.

Under the authority of the above resolution the Speaker appointed the Rev. John H. Little of Fulton County, a member of the North Georgia Methodist Conference, as Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 119. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that a committee consisting of three from the House

and two from the Senate be appointed to meet His Excellency, the Governor, at 11 o'clock, Thursday, June 29th, 1922, and escort him to the House of Representatives for the purpose of delivering his annual message to the General Assembly.

The Speaker appointed the following committee on the part of the House under the above resolution: Messrs. Carswell of Wilkinson, Corbitt of Atkinson, and Langford of Hall.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Guess of Dekalb—

House Resolution No. 126. A resolution providing for the employees of the House of Representatives.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has concurred in the following resolution of the House to-wit:

Resolved that the General Assembly convene in Joint Session on Thursday, June 29th, 1922, at 11 o'clock, to receive such communication as the Governor may have to make.

By unanimous consent the following bills and reso-

lutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 551. A bill to regulate certain practices before the Prison Commission and the Governor in clemency cases, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Penitentiary.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 552. A bill vesting in the Railroad Commission authority to regulate the operation of Motor Vehicles used in the transportation of passengers, freight, etc.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 553. A bill to provide for Temperance day in the public schools, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Temperance.

By Messrs. Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 554. A bill to authorize and empower the Trustees of the Georgia School of Technology to charge and collect reasonable tuition.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and its Branches.

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson:

House Bill No. 555. A bill to amend Article 8, Section 4, paragraph 1 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Bobo and Ficklen of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 556. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Washington, Georgia, etc.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Bobo and Ficklen of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 557. A bill to provide that the lien of mortgages on crops given to secure the payment of debts, etc., shall be good from the date of execution.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Guess of Dekalb—

House Bill No. 558. A bill concerning and regulating the guardianship of children, etc.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Boatwright and Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 559. A bill to change the terms of the city court of Swainsboro and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Haddock of Early—

House Bill No. 560. A bill to amend Sec. 1225 of the Code as amended by Act approved Aug. 14, 1915, relative to counties of certain populations.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. DuBose of Clark—

House Bill No. 561. A bill to amend an Act entitled “An Act to create a department of Insurance, and for other purposes.”

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 562. A bill to repeal an Act to prevent the shipment of tick infested cattle in the state of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Cowart of Calhoun—

House Bill No. 563. A bill to change the county site for the county of Calhoun from Morgan to Arlington, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on County and County Matters.

By Mr. Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 564. A bill to provide for the electrocution of persons sentenced to punishment of death, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 565. A bill to provide for the terms of opening and closing polls in certain counties of the state in school bond elections and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Resolution No. 120. A resolution requesting the State Highway Commission to submit a re-

port to the House of Representatives relative to State and National roads in each county.

Lie on table one day.

By Mr. Moye of Randolph—

House Resolution No. 121. A resolution memorializing Congress for the repeal of the Bankruptcy Law.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 122. A resolution relative to the payment of Confederate pensions and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Hunter of Chatham and Parks of Terrell—

House Resolution No. 124. A resolution relative to expenses incurred by Committee considering changes in tax system.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Ricketson of Warren and Stovall of McDuffie—

House Resolution No. 125. A resolution to pay pensions of Christopher Shelton in Warren County, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

The following resolution of the House was read for the first time:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 123. A resolution relative to the State Highway Commission spending money on a rock quarry in Elbert County.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the above resolution be referred to the Committee of the Whole House, to be reported on not later than July 6th, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The following invitation was read and accepted:

Atlanta, Ga., June 24, 1922.

Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives,

State Capitol,

Atlanta, Georgia.

Gentlemen:

The Georgia State Sheriff's Association extends a cordial invitation to you and each of you to attend an 'old fashioned' barbecue to be given at Lakewood Park at 1 o'clock on June 28th next.

We feel that on this auspicious occasion this Barbecue and this Association could not be more highly honored than by having you present.

Very respectfully yours,

O. B. JORMAN,

President.

H. G. BRADLEY,

Secretary.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names :

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collier	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 327 was re-committed to the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 203 and House Bill No. 204 were recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By unanimous consent the following report of the Joint Committee on Bills to Establish Board of Regents for University of Georgia and its Branches was submitted and read.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The joint committee appointed under Senate Resolution No. 44 to investigate and report on measures pending in both branches of the General Assembly relating to the creation of a Board of Regents for the University of Georgia and its branches, as well as the eleemosynary institutions of the State, submit the following as their report:

This committee has been called together twice between sessions, and has had assembled for its study the laws of various states having laws similar to those now proposed for this state. A study has also been made of the higher institutions of learning in this State, with a view of recommending corrective measures as needed. In addition, considerable information has been obtained from those interested in education in Georgia.

This committee has deemed it advisable to restrict its efforts to those institutions of the State constituting the University and its branches, including every institution that under the laws of this State is designated as a department of the University, including the twelve A. & M. Schools. We believe that the government of the other institutions of the State, including the eleemosynary and penal institutions, if changes are needed, should not be placed under that Board whose duties relate entirely to matters of higher education.

We conclude that the system of higher education in Georgia has grown up without the proper unity or co-ordination. The Constitutional limitation as to appropriations for this class of education has made it advisable or necessary to create in various localities, as branches of the University, such schools as normal schools and even district agricultural schools, all of which exist with little, if any, unity or central direction. We have reached the conclusion that because of the lack of unity and co-ordination the Legislature of this State is under a constantly increasing pressure from year to year either to make all appropriations the same for each institution of a particular class, independent of its particular needs, or else to favor unduly one institution over another because of political influence and prestige on the part of those who have charge of such institutions. One result of this is that there has grown up more or less friction between the friends of education in this State. An-

other result is that there is an increasing reluctance on the part of well qualified and self-respecting educators to assume responsibility for the State's educational institutions.

We believe that there should be no cause of conflict between the branches of the State's University. We are thoroughly convinced also that there should be no conflict or cause of conflict between the higher institutions of learning on the one hand, and the schools of the State under the jurisdiction of the State Board of Education on the other. We are convinced that the prosperity of the public schools is more largely dependent upon the welfare of the institutions of higher learning than is currently supposed.

We desire to say that our recommendations, if enacted into laws, would only serve as a first step in the direction of unifying and co-ordinating the institutions of the State.

We recommend that the following laws be enacted:

1. That there be established a Board of Control to consist of five (5) members to be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate, and whose compensation shall be the same as that of members of the General Assembly and actual expenses, in addition, and whose terms of office shall be for a period of 6 years, with over-lapping terms.

That this Board of Control shall have authority over the Trustees of the University of Georgia and its every department, with power to appoint and with power to remove for cause. The number of Trustees for the University proper and each of its branches shall be fixed in the discretion of the Board of Control at not less than five nor more than nine for any one institution.

The Board of Control shall make reports to the General Assembly at the beginning of each regular session.

2. That one-tenth of all the State's income shall be set apart annually and appropriated by law for the support and maintenance of the University of Georgia and its branches and departments, which sum shall be apportioned by the Board of Control annually according to the requirements of said institutions.

Respectfully submitted,

Howell Cone, Chmn.

Wm. W. Mundy, Sec.

W. O. Fleming

E. W. Childs

J. H. Evins

Robert L. Moyer

W. J. MacIntyre.

The following resolution of the House was read for the first time and ordered to lie on the table one day:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 127. A resolution requiring certain information from the Department of Agriculture.

By unanimous consent the following report of the Joint Tax Committee was submitted and read:

We, the Joint Tax Committee of the House and Senate make the following report:

The Committee, after much inquiry and careful consideration, is of the opinion, and so reports to the General Assembly, that an income tax as a substitute for the ad valorem tax, or in conjunction with an ad valorem tax, would be inopportune, inexpedient and unsatisfactory, and would only result in added burdens to the people of the State.

The Committee is of the further opinion, and so recommends to the General Assembly, that any changes proposed at this time in the law on the subject of taxation should be to enact provisions for a reasonable classification of property for purposes of taxation, it being the belief of the committee that such a system would result in the voluntary dis-

closure of large amounts of intangible property not now on the books for taxation.

Our construction of the Resolution under which we act is that we have nothing to do with the bill now pending looking to the repeal of the present Tax Equalization law. .

Carswell of Wilkinson, Chairman.

To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House:

We, the undersigned members of the Tax Committee appointed by virtue of a Joint Resolution approved August 13th, 1921, beg leave to submit the following minority report:

Under the present Constitution, it has been clearly demonstrated that it is impossible for the General Assembly to enact into law, a fair, just and equitable Tax bill. Invisible property escapes taxation, and the burdens of taxation fall most heavily upon that class of citizens and tax payers who are least able to bear the same. The tax payer with his home or little farm, and small dealers who can barely make a living are taxed far and beyond their ability to pay, while the real wealthy, and citizens with large incomes, escape taxation. With the demands on the State to support its schools, eleemosynary institutions, pensions, and its civil establishments, and with the decreased value on property, a condi-

tion confronts us that is almost critical. The people and property that now pay the taxes, can pay no more. They deserve and demand relief. State, county, school, and municipal taxes are too high for the present tax payer to carry the burden. A limited income tax with proper exemptions would reach a class of citizens who enjoy the benefits of government without contributing to its support. Our present system of taxation is the most perfect method of protecting the tax dodger that this class could desire, and they fight every effort made to perfect the laws that would give relief to those now carrying the unjust taxes imposed by the State. We, therefore, recommend

1st. An income tax, not to exceed three per cent. with proper exemptions.

2nd. That the Constitutional limit of five mills be reduced to four mills.

3rd. That an amendment restricting the county rate be earnestly considered.

4th. That a Committee composed of three tax experts, three members of the House, two from the Senate, and ten others representing the different interests, agricultural and otherwise, be appointed by the Governor to draw a bill or bills to be submitted to the next General Assembly covering the question of taxation in Georgia.

5th. That if the present system of taxation continues, and the present class must pay the same, that all appropriations be reduced twenty-five per cent, and that all salaries of State Officials be reduced likewise.

G. H. Carswell

J. W. Culpepper

O. A. Nix

A. G. Dudley

G. W. Lansford.

The Speaker made the following committee assignments:

Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

Military Affairs

Municipal Corporations

Special Judiciary

University of Georgia and its Branches.

Mr. Hillhouse of Worth—

Appropriations and Ways and Means

Education

General Agriculture No. 2

Pensions.

Mr. King of Wilcox—

Banks and Banking

·Education

General Agriculture No. 1

Railroads

Mr. Sapp of Whitfield—

Education

General Judiciary No. 2

Georgia State Sanitarium

Pensions

Mr. VanZant of Fannin—

Counties and County Matters

General Agriculture No. 2

Georgia State Sanitarium

Penitentiary

Mr. Kittrell of Laurens was appointed on the Committee of Amendments to the Constitution in place of Mr. Nottingham of Worth, resigned.

The Speaker appointed the following committee to draft resolutions on deceased members: Messrs. Da-Sig. 2

vis of Oglethorpe, Malone of Bibb, and Beckham of Dougherty.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following resolution of the Senate, to-wit:

A resolution extending an invitation to Senator Tomas E. Watson to address the General Assembly in joint session.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and concurred in:

By Messrs. Boykin of the 29th, Walker of the 18th,
and Jackson of the 21st—

A resolution inviting Hon. Thomas E. Watson to address the Georgia Legislature.

The hour of 11 o'clock A. M. having arrived, the Senate appeared upon the floor of the House, and the joint session, called for the purpose of hearing the address of His Excellency, the Governor, Hon. Thomas W. Hardwick, was called to order by the President of the Senate.

By order of the President, the resolution calling

for the joint session of the General Assembly was read by the Secretary of the Senate.

The President appointed the following committee to wait upon His Excellency, the Governor: Messrs. Golucke of the 19th, Manson of the 35th, Thomas of the 3rd, Bowden of Ware, Dixon of Jenkins, and Penland of Gilmer.

His Excellency the Governor, Thomas W. Hardwick, delivered the following address:

TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

In obedience to the Constitutional mandate, I again appear before you "to give information on the State of the Commonwealth" and to recommend for your consideration such measures as may seem necessary or expedient.

It is my purpose in this message to deal only with matters of the highest and most general importance consequently, I shall, from time to time, transmit in writing for your consideration other messages dealing with other matters, as the session progresses and as these matters may be properly brought to your attention.

FISCAL AFFAIRS.

I beg to invite your attention, first of all, to the fiscal affairs of our State. They are of the utmost im-

portance and demand your first and most careful attention.

Taken as a whole, the State has undergone, and is undergoing, one of the periods of most profound depression in its entire history, and the condition of its people of all classes and of all sections is such as to imperatively demand of us the application of the soundest principles to our fiscal affairs and the practice of rigid economy and drastic retrenchment in the expenditure of public money, to the end that the credit of the State may be preserved, the efficiency of its government may remain unimpaired, and at the same time, is possible, the tax burdens of its people may be lessened.

When this General Assembly began its work on the fourth Wednesday of June of last year, and I became your Governor on the Saturday following, we were confronted by a most difficult and embarrassing situation. According to the last Annual Message of Governor Dorsey, of date June 25, 1921, he estimated the deficit, or the amount not on hand necessary to complete the payment of "undrawn balances," as of date January 1, 1921, to be \$3,186,687.85. In my message to you of date June 26th, 1921, I estimated that the deficit would reach the total figure of \$3,547,421.38 by the end of the year 1921 unless some relief was afforded. Both of these estimates were slightly in excess of the real figures, for the reason that the State Tax Commissioner had estimated that there

would be a fall in property values of \$200,000,000 in 1921 below 1920, which meant the loss of \$1,000,000 in revenue, when figured at the constitutional rate of 5 mills. Later in the year it developed that the shrinkage in values was only about \$80,000,000, instead of \$200,000,000, as had been estimated, consequently the loss in revenues was only about \$400,000, instead of \$1,000,000, as estimated in the figures given by Governor Dorsey and myself. It is thus apparent that the real deficit was substantially \$2,500,000, on January 1, 1921, and but for the measures we adopted to prevent it, would have reached the sum of practically \$3,000,000 by December 31, 1921.

Last Summer we were confronted by this situation. It was not of our creation. Neither the present General Assembly nor the present Governor caused it or contributed to it, but the responsibility was upon us to meet it and to remedy it, if possible. Confronted by this situation, what courses were open to us? The answer is simple. It was our duty to reduce the appropriations for the year 1921 so far as the same were undrawn, or else increase the revenues for that year so as to strike a balance and make the one equal to the other; or, to accomplish that result, partly by reducing appropriations already made and partly by increasing the revenues; or, if it should prove impossible, for reasons hereafter referred to, to accomplish this result in either of the above ways, then to raise the money in some other way so as to enable the treasury to meet the demand upon it, so as to save

the credit of the State. It naturally suggested itself to you at first, as it did to me, that the best way to accomplish the result was to reduce the appropriations for 1921, particularly in a time of hardship and depression. But it must be remembered that we were dealing with appropriations already made by previous legislatures, a great part of which had already been spent, and when we came to the effort to reduce the unspent part of those appropriations we found it was practically impossible to do so, because in almost every case, the rights of third persons had intervened, moral or contractual obligations entered into on the faith of the appropriations already made to school teachers, pensioners and other creditors of the State were so strong that we could not, without great injustice and great hardship, reduce the appropriations already expended in part, on the faith of which these engagements had been entered into.

Unable, for this reason, to make any considerable reduction in the appropriations for 1921, the Legislature next endeavored to raise additional revenue for the year 1921, in order to meet these appropriations, but when you came to the consideration of this question, you found yourselves confronted by two great practical difficulties. First, the money was needed for the year 1921; two-thirds of that year had already passed and it was difficult, under the Constitutional limitations under which the Legislature operated, to materially increase the revenues in the short part of the year that was left; second,

business conditions of the State were so bad generally that it was practically impossible to raise additional revenue for the year 1921 in any great amount, without working a hardship, if not confiscation, on such classes of business as in ordinary times might have been taxed in an emergency of this character.

Consequently, the General assembly was forced, in order to preserve the credit of the State and to pay the appropriations made by the preceding General Assembly, to provide for the discount of the rental of the Western & Atlantic railroad for a period of five years in the future. I unhesitatingly recommended that course to the Legislature as a last and desperate remedy for a situation which it did not create and which I did not create, but which we found confronting us and menacing us when we assumed the responsibility of office. No citizen of Georgia could have been more reluctant than I was to advise such a course. No man is more keenly aware than I am of the dangerous precedent it set, but it was a condition, not a theory, that confronted us, and it was absolutely indispensable to adopt some remedy to preserve the credit of the State and to save her obligations from dishonor. Yielding to that imperative necessity, the General Assembly passed this legislation with only a very few dissenting votes against it in either House.

After the adjournment of the General Assembly, the Constitutionality of this legislation was publicly

assailed. So much doubt was cast upon its legality that it was impossible for me to discount the W. & A. rentals at any reasonable rate of interest, in a time of financial unrest and depression, without having that question finally settled by our Supreme Court. Consequently, I brought Mandamus Proceedings in the Sueprior Court of Fulton County to compel the Comptroller General to sign these warrants, upon his refusal to do so. The question thus raised was finally adjudicated on the 7th day of December, 1921, by the Supreme Court of Georgia, in the case of Wright, Comptroller vs. Hardwick, Governor, in favor of the Constitutionality of the W. & A. Rental Funding Act. After the decision was rendered and after due advertisement thereof, and competitive bidding therefor, the rental above referred to was sold to the Citizens & Couthern Bank, of this State, and the National Park Bank, of New York City, at a discount rate of 5.95%, netting \$2,297,586.21 to the State, after the discount had been deducted from the principal sum of 2,700,000, which is the aggregate of five years' rental on the W. & A. Railroad, at \$540,000 per annum.

The proceeds of the rental were used entirely for two purposes. First, the larger part of the same, \$1,969,408, for the payment of all past due pensions to the Confederate veterans in the discharge of all arrears due them, of every class, up to and including December 31, 1921. Second, the remainder of same, \$337,178.21, was appropriated to the payment of teachers in the common schools of the State, for

arrears due them during the year 1921. As a necessary part of the fiscal policy of last year adopted by your body and recommended by myself, a tax of one cent per gallon, imposed at the source, was levied on all gasoline consumed in the State, it being the intention of the Legislature and myself that this tax should make up the loss in revenues occasioned by the discount of the W. & A. rental, for the purposes above recited. This tax will, I am confident, produce fully \$800,000 per annum, fully 50% more than the W. & A. rental. The returns by quarters up to date are as follows:

From August 10, 1921, to October 1, 1921,	
(1 month and 20 days)-----	\$113,662.87
For quarter ending December 31, 1921--	188,884.32
For quarter ending March 31, 1922-----	151,305.65
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For period of 7 months and 20 days	
total sum of -----	\$453,812.84

The quarters not embraced in the above figures are the summer quarters, in which the consumption of gas is largest.

I submit that this tax, borne in large part by those best able to stand it, is the most just and equitable tax that could be imposed in order to replace the W. & A. rentals, and that it more than accomplishes that purpose. By this fiscal policy, which was the only one that could be suggested by any thoughtful person in the Legislature, or out of it, we were enabled to "pull the ox out of the ditch" and to restore the finances of the State to a sound and stable basis.

We come next to deal with the question of revenues and appropriations for the years 1922 and 1923. The total appropriations for these years were greatly reduced below the total of those made for the year 1921. The appropriations made for the year 1921 at the session of the General Assembly in 1919 totaled \$9,845,000. The deficiency appropriations for 1921, authorized by law and made at the last session of the General Assembly, amounted to \$1,141,884.61, making a grand total of appropriations for the year 1921 of \$10,886,884.61, whereas the total appropriations made by you last Summer for the year 1922 amount to \$9,452,317.15, a reduction in appropriations for 1922 under appropriations for 1921 of \$1,434,567.37. This figure is within the revenues of the State and can be met and defrayed by them, unless at the present session deficiency appropriations should be passed by your body to destroy the balance and create a deficit. I am sure that you will heartily agree with me that that is impossible and impracticable, unless additional revenue should be provided by you to meet such appropriations.

Because of the necessity for making this drastic cut in appropriations, your body was not able to deal as generously as you would liked, or as their merits justify, and in some cases demand, with many of the institutions of the State and many of the different objects for which appropriations were made, because you were unable to get a single inch away from the proposition, applicable alike to sound finances and good, common sense, that income and outgo must be carefully and accurately balanced

against each other. However worthy the appropriation may be, it cannot and must not be made unless we have the money to pay it with. "Pay as you go" is the only safe motto for either an individual or the State, and that the present Legislature for the first time in many years has had the courage to apply this doctrine to our State's affairs and to live up to it, should be, as I believe it is, a source of real encouragement and of profound gratification to all of the sensible people of this State. The application of the doctrine "Live within your means" to the affairs of either an individual or a government, is never a pleasant operation; mutterings and growlings, many of them low and deep, nearly always result from it, but as certain as we live, it is the only plan by which permanent safety and enduring happiness can come either to an individual or to a State. In obedience to this great principle of sound business and of common sense, we have been compelled, whatever our desires and wishes, to "fashion our garment according to the cloth," to appropriate whatever our revenues would pay, and no more: and if the financial affairs of this State are to be placed and kept on a sound and stable basis, this great principle must be vigilantly adhered to in the future, and you may rest assured that so long as I am Governor of Georgia, it will be adhered to; and I earnestly hope and sincerely believe that in the effort to maintain it, I shall have your hearty co-operation and your undivided support. No appropriation greater than can be paid by the revenues of

the State should be made by you, or can be approved by me.

Let me next invite your attention to the condition of our budget at the present time. We owe on undrawn balances on 1921 appropriations the sum of \$63,740.81. We have not failed to pay this amount because of any inability of the treasury to pay it, but because requisitions therefor have not yet been duly and properly presented to the Governor. In due course these undrawn balances will be paid on proper requisitions and warrants. We also owe certain State Depositories in Atlanta the sum of \$500,000 borrowed by the Governor on February 27, 1922, under authority of law, to supply casual deficiencies in revenue, and used to pay 1921 common school appropriations. The interest up to September 9, 1922, on this loan will amount to \$13,472, the rate of interest being 5%. This makes a total of \$577,212.81 due on 1921 obligations. To meet these obligations, we have the following revenue from 1921 not yet collected.

Ad valorem taxes for 1921 uncollected on	
June 10, 1922-----	\$572,504.51
1919, 1920 and 1921 railroad taxes uncol-	
lected on June 10, 1922-----	66,268.53
Total -----	<u>\$638,863.04</u>

This amount, if collected, will over-pay our past due obligations by the sum of \$61,650.23, and it is fair to assume that even in hard times like the pres-

ent, we will collect at least enough past due revenue to pay these undrawn balances of 1921.

We come next to the budget for the year 1922. The appropriations, exclusive of automobile license taxes, appropriated to highway construction, made for 1922 total \$9,438,845.15. In this connection, I submit to you a table marked Table A, from the Treasurer's office, showing these appropriations in detail, showing those of them already paid, and showing those that are not yet paid. We have so far collected of the revenues for 1922, from all sources except ad valorem taxes, \$1,248,049.03. A close and accurate estimate of the amount of revenues for the year 1922 yet uncollected, from sources other than ad valorem taxes, shows a total of \$3,784,140.13, making a total of revenue for the year 1922, from all sources except ad valorem taxes, of \$5,032,189.16 (See statement in detail from Comptroller's office, marked Table B, hereto attached).

In addition to the above, it is estimated by the State Tax Commissioner (See Exhibit D) that the net revenue from ad valorem taxes of this year will be \$4,600,000, consequently the total revenue, exclusive of license taxes appropriated to highway board, for the State for the year 1922 will be \$9,632,189.15. This must be compared with the total appropriations of \$9,452,317.52, and when so compared it will be seen that the revenues for the year will exceed its appropriations by a comparatively small sum of \$179,872. This, I submit, is only a reasonable margin when the difficulty of collecting taxes up to the last dollar in times like these is considered.

In this connection, I feel it my imperative duty to call your attention to the following language of the General Appropriation Act of August 15, 1921,

(Act of 1921, Page 10, Sub-section C):

“For the support and maintenance of the Common or Public Schools of the State, Four Million Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$4,250,000) for each of the years 1922 and 1923, and should the revenue of the State exceed the sum of Eight Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$8,500,000), then one-half of the excess of each year to be applied to said Common or Public Schools.”

As I said to you last year: “I yield to no man in this State in my devotion to the Common Schools of this State; at a later and more happy period when readjustment comes, it is my earnest hope and my confident belief that we will be able to further increase the efficiency of our common schools in this State. The education of the masses means much to me. I long to see the day when we can pay the Georgia school teacher a living wage, pay it in cash every month, without resorting to discount processes. But until that day comes, until the State is provided with a revenue system that will meet its growing demands in this direction, it is useless, worse than useless, to make appropriations even for the common schools which the treasury cannot pay.” One-half of the revenue of the State for 1922 will amount to \$4,800,000, in round figures. This will

involve an increased appropriation for the common schools of \$550,000, over the sum fixed in the General Appropriation Act, if the second clause thereof is to remain in force. If we could collect every cent of taxes due the State from every possible source, we would not have one-third enough money to pay this additional amount to the common schools, consequently it seems to me to be an absolute necessity to repeal the concluding paragraph of the Section of the Appropriation Act to which I refer, unless the Legislature can provide, and can provide at once, the funds with which to meet this great increase. In concluding this discussion of our fiscal affairs, I cannot too strongly impress upon you the necessity for economy and retrenchment. The condition of our people in every walk of life and every section of the State demands it. Agriculture is practically prostrate; business languishes; commerce is halted; the people everywhere, in city, in town and in the rural sections, are forced to apply the most rigid economy to their personal affairs. Certainly they have the right to expect of their governments, both national and State, the application of the same principle in the expenditure of public money.

RETRENCHMENT AND ECONOMIES IN ADMINISTRATION.

I repeat my recommendation of last year regarding Bureaus, Boards, and Commissions, and urge upon the Legislature a thorough and careful examination into the affairs and operations of every department of our State government, of every

Board, Bureau and Commission that exists by virtue of State law or State authority, with a view to determine, first, whether such agency of the government performs any essential function for the State or not; if not, it ought to be abolished and the expense of its maintenance saved; second, even if such agency of the government performs a useful and necessary function, then its operations ought to be examined into with a view to determine what reduction can be made, in so critical a time as this, in the expense of such department or commission; and what economies can be effected in the administration of its affairs.

It is not my purpose to impair useful public service in any line of legitimate and proper governmental activity. I do not intend to be so understood either by the members of the General Assembly or by the public; but I insist in times like these that it is imperatively necessary that we abolish every useless place, purge the pay roll of every useless official, and cut out extravagance and waste wherever we find it. I urge upon the Legislature, and especially upon the appropriation committees of the two houses, a careful and exhaustive examination into the matters herein suggested, with a view to carrying out the will of the people of this State, and of ridding the State and the treasury of all unnecessary encumbrances upon both.

In my opinion, the Department of Archives and History should be abolished. It performs no necessary function to the State and its records can be well kept in the State Library. If the work of in-

dexing is to be completed, it can be just as well performed there by a clerk at \$1,500 per annum.

I unhesitatingly recommend the reduction of the number of the Railroad Commissioners from five to three. The Railroad Commission has very little to do with the fixing of railroad rates within the State, since recent federal statutes as construed by the Supreme Court of the United States have deprived it of that power. The federal statute in question is in plain derogation of the right of the States to control their local affairs, and so far as it confers upon the Interstate Commerce Commission the right to fix rates wholly within a state, it should be repealed. Until it is, however, there is no necessity for the present commission of five members on the theory that they are needed to perform any considerable amount of work in fixing railroad rates. Besides, it will be remembered this Commission for many years functioned with three members, and it was only after the conclusion of a political campaign that it was necessary to increase its number to carry out the policy of a new administration and to carry into effect the will of the people of Georgia, as expressed at the ballot box in that campaign. No such situation now exists, and it seems to me, in a time like this, the people of Georgia can well dispense with the two railroad commissioners that were then added to that body and can well reduce its number from five to three, thus effecting a saving of \$7,200 per annum. In this connection, it is worthy of note that thirty-eight of the States of the Union have

only three Railroad Commissioners. No Southern State, except Georgia, has more than three.

I recommend to the General Assembly of Georgia the repeal of the law providing for an attorney for the Highway Commission of Georgia. In my opinion, the duties performed by the attorney for the Highway Commission can be well attended to by the Attorney-General of the State, with the aid of the various county attorneys handling road matters; and thus a saving of the salary and expense of the legal department of the Highway Commission can be effected.

I repeat my statement to you of last year, to the effect that we are board-ridden, commission-ridden and trustee-ridden in this State. It can probably be said with truth that no one of these boards or commissions represents an activity that is wholly bad or for which some good things cannot be said. Yet, I think it can be said with even more truth that many of them represent activities more or less paternalistic, which are not really essential to the proper conduct of our State Government, and with which we can well dispense, especially in hard times like these.

As far back as June 25, 1919, Governor Dorsey, heading a board called the Budget Investigation Commission reported that Georgia was trustee-ridden. This Board pointed out that the University system alone had 277 trustees and it made the following recommendation:

“We are decidedly of the opinion that it would be for the best interest of our higher institu-

tions if a small board of control or State Board of Regents should replace the army of trustees now appointed largely by reason of political support. Either an ex-officio or a separate board of three to five, whose duty it should be to become familiar with the needs and operations of these higher institutions, present fully to the Legislature, to direct the purchase of supplies, give active supervision to the work generally, to so avoid the present rivalry and friction of the different boards, would be a great improvement over the present plan. The per diem and expenses now paid to these hundreds of trustees would pay for the services of a small board of regents that could become familiar with all the needs of our higher educational institutions and aid them effectively as well as help the Legislature to see accurately as to the appropriations needed each year."

This recommendation I heartily endorse and approve. Indeed, I am of the opinion that a board of regents for the entire higher educational system of our State might be well provided to take the place of the present boards of trustees of the University of Georgia, and of all of its branches, and of every other institution of learning supported by the State. In my judgment, economy in the administration of the affairs of these institutions, economy in the purchase of supplies needed by them, and a systematic correlation of the work of each one of them with the other, would be obtained by the adoption of such a

plan, and as a result we would have a systematized, coherent and comprehensive educational system, beginning with the common schools and ending with the University and our various normal and technical schools.

I unhesitatingly urge upon you a careful consideration of this plan, not only in the interest of real economy, not only for the purpose of riding the State of a number of unnecessary office-holders, not only to relieve the Legislature of political importunities from these trustees, who annually come seeking money at your hands, but also to broaden and deepen and strengthen our educational system itself.

This step is not a new one in this country. Many of our more important and progressive States have adopted it. Not one that has ever adopted the regency system for education, in whole or in part, has ever been willing to abandon it or to return to the antiquated, disjointed and expensive system we maintain.

At the last session of the General Assembly a joint committee from the two houses was appointed to consider this question. I understand that committee will report to you during the present Session, and I earnestly bespeak for its report that careful consideration and wise action to which the importance of this subject entitles it.

AUDITING SYSTEM FOR THE STATE OF GEORGIA

I strongly urge upon you the establishment for

the State of Georgia of a complete, modern and up-to-date business system in the operation of its fiscal affairs. I am anxious to apply to the business of our State the same sound business methods which are applied to the affairs of great corporations and large businesses, whenever they are successful, throughout the country. It must be understood that in making this recommendation, I have no intent to reflect, and do not in fact reflect, upon the integrity and ability, the high character and splendid services, of our distinguished Treasurer, the Hon. Wm. J. Speer, and of our distinguished Comptroller-General, the Hon. Wm. A. Wright. Two better, purer and truer men never served Georgia at any period of her history, and if the State were searched from end to end, with the purpose of finding faithful and efficient servants to fill the places occupied by these gentlemen, it is not probable that the equal of either of them, in either efficiency or fidelity, could be found. My association with them has been in every way pleasant, and to them I am indebted for many acts of personal courtesy, for strong and wise advice in the conduct of the State's affairs, and unfailing aid in the administration of those affairs. What I have to recommend in regard to these matters no more reflects upon them or upon the conduct of their officers than it does upon the present Governor or upon the conduct of his office. Nor is it my purpose to change the structural base of the State's fiscal administration, except insofar as it be necessary to bring our present machinery up to date and to provide modern business methods and necessary

safeguards for the conduct of the State's fiscal affairs.

In my opinion, the State of Georgia unnecessarily spends hundreds of thousand of dollars annually, because of the lack of planning by departmental and institutional heads, because of poor appropriating methods, and because of an inadequate system of auditing collections and expenditures.

The present system has been continued without material change from the date when appropriations were small and when the appropriating authorities were personally acquainted with almost all State officers and had first hand knowledge of practically all State activities. As the State government has grown in size and complexity and as the amounts of money collected and spent every year have increased, the old system, which was sufficient in simpler days, has not been changed and extended to meet the new conditions. The State's financial affairs are in theory centered largely in the operations of the office of the Governor, the Comptroller-General and the Treasurer, whereas, in practice most of them center in the offices of the large outside expending and collecting agencies, such as the State Sanitarium, the State Highway Department, and the Department of Agriculture. The only effective way to work the necessary reforms and to apply to our present system modern business methods, so that responsible central officers will again be able to exercise a controlling influence upon the collecting and spending of moneys, is to change the appropriating machinery of the Legislature, so as to force careful

planning on the part of departmental and institutional heads, and to require that the appropriation acts shall be drawn in such form that no expenditures can be made unless authorized by the act and to provide that an auditing staff shall enforce the intent of the General Assembly. The work being done by the Comptroller-General, the additional auditing now done through the Governor's office under the provision of the last Appropriation Bill, providing that "That the Governor shall require of the Superintendent or official having charge of the finances of any institution or department a monthly statement of all expenses, itemized and sworn to, before issuing any warrants," has been effective in making some saving and preventing some extravagance. It is to be noted, however, that the law does not give to the Governor, or to the Comptroller, or to any officer of the State any authority to pass upon the correctness or reasonableness of the items, or to reject any item because the same appears unnecessary or extravagant. Besides, a clerical force much larger than that of the Governor's office or the Comptroller's office would be required to exercise any such supervision; a central auditing staff is necessary. I urge and recommend the establishment of an auditing staff for the State, with a State Auditor and Accountant at its head. The expense of such an office, with all the necessary assistants, will not exceed the sum of \$30,000 per annum; and government experts, who have carefully investigated the situation estimate that such an office would easily effect a saving of from two hundred to

three hundred thousand dollars per annum, the amount of the saving depending upon the provisions of the law establishing the office, the promptness with which the work is begun, and the thoroughness with which it is done. As an offset to the expense, it is pointed out that perhaps \$15,000 a year is now paid for the annual audit of a few institutions and departments; and when a State Department of Auditing is established these payments will be no longer necessary and can be saved. Consequently, the net expense to the State for the establishment of this department, will not exceed \$15,000 per annum over the amount already spent in a desultory and haphazard manner for auditing some departments and institutions of the State, and will, in my judgment, effect a saving in expenditure amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

The first large expense to the State under the present fiscal system results from the failure of the departments and institutions to plan their work. In the reports made to me by expert investigators of several agencies examples are given of large expenditures made without any definite plan on the part of the responsible officers. To remedy this condition, it is recommended that one of the duties of the State Auditor and Accountant shall be to secure both plans and estimates of cost, and these plans and estimates shall be reviewed by the Governor and then submitted to the General Assembly with his recommendation thereon.

The largest single source of loss, according to the investigation I have made, results from failure to

audit expenses before payments are made. The futility of audits made at the end of the year or at irregular times when there is no system of current control is perfectly apparent. After the money is spent, it is impossible to take any effective action with regard to such matters as irregular attendance of employees, excessive salaries, high prices paid for supplies and equipment, or expenditures for goods or services which have not been received. The only way to prevent this kind of losses is to hold up payment until the expending officers can show that the services or goods are needed, that authority for the purchase has been granted, that money for the payment has been appropriated, that the goods or services have been received, and that the prices it is proposed to pay are reasonable.

In my judgment, the auditing of collections by the State agencies outside of the Capitol is even looser than the auditing of expenditures. The treasury is practically compelled to accept without question whatever money is turned over to it by many of the collecting agencies. It has no means whatever of knowing whether all the money due the State has been collected, whether all the amount collected has been turned into the State treasury, or whether all measures have been taken to protect the State's interests.

It is known that in many cases the methods used by these collecting agencies are lax. Some of them admit that money which ought to be paid to the State is never collected. Few State agencies outside of the Treasury Department receive any inter-

est on large deposits they make in the local banks. In some cases, departments and institutions collect and expend considerable sums without taking the trouble to report the facts to the State's central financial officers. This action on their part is sometime authorized by law, and is sometimes taken without express legal sanction. The Treasurer and Comptroller are largely helpless in the matter, and only in exceptional cases can the Governor take effective action.

The practice of making continuous statutory appropriations year after year without bi-ennial review by the General Assembly is a pernicious one, which encourages administrative officers not to plan their work and which leads to extravagance and loss. Most of the appropriations made in this manner are not so important or for such worthy causes that they should take precedence over others, and the review of every proposal should be made annually or bi-ennially. Such a review, annually or bi-ennially, coupled with the turning into the State Treasury of every dollar collected by any State agency or received from outside sources (such as the Federal Government) is a prerequisite to any serious attempt to effect economies in the fiscal matters of this State.

The powers and duties that ought to be conferred upon the State Auditor and Accountant, would make this office one of the most important in the State government. Subject to the approval of the Governor, he would install in the various departments and institutions such forms and procedure as might be

necessary to safeguard the collection and handling of money, and take all proper steps to insure the proper use and protection of stores, equipment and other property. He would review currently all the financial transactions of the departments and institutions and if he found them in accordance with the law and regulations, approve them for payment. Without such approval, it would be unlawful for any disbursing officer to pay any claim for goods or services. He would also assist the Governor and General Assembly, as required in securing estimates and plans for State agencies, in reviewing such estimates and plans, and in gathering data as to operating, efficiency, and costs. He would report to the Governor and General Assembly such facts and conditions as he might consider significant, and particularly all irregularities and excessive costs which ought to be prevented. In my judgment, the creation by the General Assembly of an auditing committee to review the report of the State auditor and accountant and to direct special investigations and audits, whenever the same are deemed necessary, is also of considerable importance.

In connection with the work of the proposed auditing department, I unhesitatingly recommend a change in our system of making general appropriation bills and some modification of the existing law in relation to the Budget Commission. I do not believe that an executive budget commission can ever be practicable or effective. My opinion is that the real Budget Commission must be the appropriating committees of the two houses of the General As-

sembly. There are two systems of making appropriations, especially where large amounts and many interests are involved. For instance, the Federal Government appropriates thousands of millions of dollars annually on the plan of requiring, as a rule, itemizations of all appropriations, by every department of the government. On the other hand, the State of Georgia follows the plan of making lump sum appropriations. There are some difficulties inherent in both systems. Under the system of appropriating by item, there is not enough elasticity to secure the best practical results in the operation of governmental service. At the same time, it tends towards economy and keeps down extravagance, and is, on the whole, preferable to the lump sum system of appropriating money. The latter system allows too much latitude to the administrative departments and agencies of the government and tends to encourage both extravagance and graft. If we should establish an auditing system of the kind that I have recommended to you, I should also recommend that in the law establishing the department of State auditing, provision should be made for a change in our system of making appropriations, particularly with reference to our general appropriations bills.

The auditing department should require of the head of each department and institution of the State government, a statement, item by item, of each appropriation, and what funds are desired by such department or institution. The auditing department should then, in turn, submit such plans and

estimates of the department or institution to the Governor who, in turn, would submit them to the General Assembly for reference to the appropriate committees, and for final action by the two houses themselves upon each item of appropriation. The judgment of the General Assembly would be final, both upon the total amount of the appropriation to be made and the various items thereof. After the appropriations are once made by item, there should be no transfers between different items, except by the express approval of the Governor, whenever unforeseen conditions have made such transfers necessary or desirable, and whenever such transfers are made, the Governor should be required to report them to the Legislature on the first day of the next session thereafter. It seems to me that a budget and auditing plan along this line, which will be laid before you with more explicitness and clearness in a report made to me by an expert government engineer employed for that purpose, will combine the strong points of the federal system of making appropriations with the strong points of our present State system of making them, will make for economy and honesty in the expenditure of public money, will provide against extravagance and dishonesty in expenditure, and, finally, will give sufficient elasticity to the operation of institutions and departments so as not to unduly hamper them when unforeseen contingencies shall require the transfer of funds from one item of appropriation to another.

It is my keenest ambition to have you install a thorough and up to date business system for the

transaction of the State's fiscal affairs and in the collection and expenditure of its moneys. I wish above all things to see the establishment of an auditing system which shall check up in detail every item of expenditure before the money therefor is drawn out of the State treasury, so far as practicable, and which shall, in its "follow-up check," show with absolute and unerring accuracy, how each and every penny of the tax money of the people is spent, for what it was spent, and whether it was wisely spent or foolishly spent. I believe we can install such a system, and by doing it save hundreds of thousands of dollars for the tax payers of Georgia, besides giving them better service in every direction. I earnestly hope that you may co-operate with me in this endeavor, and feel sure that you will do so.

In pursuance of my purpose to give the State a business administration and in an endeavor to investigate as carefully and accurately as I could into the operations of its various departments and institutions, with a view to effecting economy and improvement in the service, wherever practicable, on April 10, 1922, I employed the firm of Griffenhagen and Associates of Chicago, who are, in my opinion, the greatest governmental engineering experts in this country, to make a preliminary survey of the various departments and institutions of the State government and particularly of the fiscal machinery of the State Government with a view to determine what economies could be effected and what service improved, and what kind of an adequate and up-to-date fiscal machinery could be provided for the State.

The reputation of the firm employed is high. They sent me two of their strongest men, Messrs. Fred Telford and Hugh J. Reber, the former being a member of the firm. This firm has done a great deal of good work in the way of making surveys as to governmental departments and activities for the Congress of the United States, for the government of the Dominion of Canada, for the States of Illinois, Maryland and South Carolina, and for the great cities of Chicago, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Montreal. My attention was particularly attracted to their work by the very satisfactory results they have accomplished in South Carolina for the government of that State. They have prepared and submitted to me thirteen separate reports as follows:

- 1—Auditing and Fiscal System of the State.
- 2—Department of Agriculture.
- 3—Department of Printing.
- 4—Department of Public Health.
- 5—Department of Public Welfare.
- 6—Training School for Boys.
- 7—Confederate Soldiers Home.
- 8—Confederate Roster Commission.
- 9—Department of Archives and History.
- 10—Academy for the Blind.
- 11—State Library.
- 12—State Library Commission.
- 13—Report on office space in the Capitol Building.

These reports, in my opinion, contain invaluable information for the use of the General Assembly

and all of them will be transmitted to the General Assembly, by special message, for its information and consideration. All of these reports except the latter relate to matters concerning which the Legislature is clothed with both responsibility and power.

The last report relates to office space in the Capitol Building and indicates that by a proper adjustment of offices in the Capitol Building ample provision can be made for all of the officers of the State and their clerical forces, without the necessity of building a Capitol Annex and without the necessity of renting outside quarters for any department of the State, which is now being done at an expense of \$3,000 per annum.

These reports show that in the Department of Agriculture alone one hundred to two hundred thousand dollars per year can be saved by cutting off useless and unnecessary officeholders and by other economies. They indicate that from three to four thousand dollars per annum can be saved at the Academy for the Blind, where 30 employees are required to look after 65 white inmates. They indicate that \$6,000 per year can be saved by transferring the records of the Department of Archives and History to the State Library and that from \$20,000 to \$25,000 per annum can be saved by reforms and economies in the Department of Public Printing. These reports show that \$1,500 per annum can be saved in the State Library by avoiding the unnecessary purchase of duplicate law books.

I shall submit these reports to you with the utmost confidence that, in the main, the facts stated are true

and the conclusions drawn therefrom are correct, and the reforms advocated and the retrenchments planned are wise, and in the interest of honesty and economy. These investigators were instructed by me to go into each of these matters as much as they could in a preliminary report, showing neither favor nor hostility to any official or to any department, but to report the facts truly and without favor, and to fearlessly recommend whatever changes and improvements they thought desirable or necessary. It is quite probable that neither your body nor I will agree to all of their recommendations, but the investigations have been honestly made and are entitled to your very serious consideration. Undoubtedly many intrenchments and many improvements in service are suggested in these reports and I submit to you for your careful consideration the question as to whether or not it would not be wise for this State to follow the example of South Carolina in this matter and have a full and comprehensive survey of the State government, all of its departments, all of its institutions and all of its agencies made on a larger and more comprehensive scale, for the use of the General Assembly at its next Session.

AUSTRALIAN BALLOT LAW AND BI-ENNIAL SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

I again urge the enactment of a real and rigid Australian Ballot Law, to be applicable to primary and general elections alike and to be installed at every precinct in Georgia, to the end that every voter in the State, however poor and humble, may

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have the opportunity to cast a free and untrammelled ballot, and to the end that vote-buying in our elections shall be rendered difficult and impracticable.

I again urge you to submit an amendment to the Constitution of Georgia to provide for Bi-ennial sessions, instead of Annual Sessions, of the General Assembly. I make this recommendation for the following reasons:

1st: I do so in the interest of economy. If we should have bi-ennial, instead of annual, sessions of the General Assembly, the expense would be cut in two and a saving to the State of from \$55,000 to \$60,000 per annum would be effected. In times like these it behooves us to effect every reasonable economy in the spending of the money of the people.

2nd: Bi-ennial sessions of the General Assembly would be an improvement over annual meetings for another and, if possible, even stronger reason; under the annual system we have too many unnecessary changes in the laws and too many amendments to the laws. In other words, too much legislation. If we had bi-ennial, instead of annual sessions, the tendency would be to have fewer changes in the law and the disturbances of both business and the people incident to the annual tinkering with the laws would be avoided.

A great majority of the States of the Union have bi-ennial sessions of the General Assembly, and the experience of the several States, on the whole, seems to establish the proposition that bi-ennial sessions of the General Assembly are preferable to annual sessions, or to sessions every four years.

TAXATION.

In presenting to you my views on the difficult and complicated subject of taxation, I wish to assure you that I do so without either pride or obstinacy of opinion. I do so because my sense of duty to the State and to its people impels me to give you my views on this question, and I do so with the utmost deference to those of you, and to those of my fellow citizens elsewhere who do not agree with me about it, and who may entertain different views on the subject; I do so in the earnest hope that this body, on whom rests the responsibility for action, may approach the consideration of this most important and most difficult question in the spirit of mutual tolerance and of common counsel, out of which may come wise and conservative action.

I am afraid that the average man does not realize how small a percentage of the taxes that he pays is imposed or collected by the State for State purposes. To say nothing of Federal taxes, the proportion of the tax burdens occasioned by expenditures of the State is relatively small and is comparatively negligible. In Georgia the total bonded debt of the State is only \$5,486,202. On the other hand, the total bonded indebtedness of all Georgia counties is \$12,714,000, and the total floating indebtedness of all counties is \$779,000, and the total bonded debt of Georgia towns and cities is \$37,940,000 and the total floating debts of such towns and cities are \$1,181,200. When these figures are consolidated, it will be seen that Georgia counties and cities have a total

bonded indebtedness of \$50,654,000, and a total floating indebtedness of \$1,960,200, or a total debt of \$52,614,200 against a total bonded debt of the State of \$5,486,202.

In addition to the above, it is worth while to remember and consider that the average rate of the Georgia county (including local school tax) is 18.3 mills, against a State rate of 5 mills; in other words, the State only gets 21.1% of the amount of State and County taxes that the taxpayer pays to the Tax Collector each year. Next, let us take the case of the Georgia taxpayer who lives in a city, or in an incorporated town, however small; first, he must pay 5 mills to the State; next, 10 mills, on the average, for city taxes; next, 18.3 mills, on the average, for the county tax. So the taxpayer living in a city or town pays on the average 33.3 mills, of which only 5 mills, or 15% goes to the State of Georgia.

The figures above cited are taken from the Financial Chronicle of December, 1921. Annexed to this address is Table C, showing by the details of these figures, by counties and by cities.

They are presented for the purpose of showing to you and to the public how relatively small a part of the tax burden is really occasioned by State expenditures and how comparatively negligible a portion of our total taxes is really paid for State purposes. The figures prove that we can never get a satisfactory distribution of the burden of taxation and a satisfactory system of taxation which will give a correct and a proper distribution of the burden, until we apply the correct fundamental prin-

ciples to County and City taxation, as well as to State taxation.

The Constitution of 1877, in establishing the present tax system of Georgia (Paragraph 1, Sec. 2, Art. 7), provided:

“All taxation shall be uniform upon the same classes of subjects, and ad valorem on all property subject to be taxed within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax.”

It will be observed that no limit upon the tax rate was contained in the Constitution. One of the greatest of American jurists has stated, with great terseness and truth: “The power to tax is the power to destroy.” The framers of our Constitution of 1877 evidently believed, so far as the government is concerned, that the power to tax is the power to live. In support of that doctrine, it can be cited that even up to the present day, the power to tax (except as to a few special taxes) is not limited, so far as the rate or amount of the tax to be levied is concerned, in any of the forty-eight states of the Republic or in the United States Government itself, or in the government of any civilized country on earth, except in Georgia.

The doctrine that the legislative body of the State is not to be limited, generally speaking, in the tax rate it may impose, stood unchallenged in Georgia, as well as in the rest of the world, up to the year 1902. It stood unchallenged in this State even when the Constitution of 1877 was adopted, at the close of the reconstruction era.

In 1902, Governor Terrell, in the contest for elec-

tion as Governor, advocated an amendment of the Constitution of the State, imposing a limit of five mills upon ad valorem taxes. After his election in 1902, the General Assembly, at its 1903 session, submitted such an amendment to the electorate of the State and the same was ratified by it at the general election of 1904 .

It is not my purpose, in calling attention to these historical facts, to challenge the wisdom of the decision the people then made. It is a departure in the science of government, and while the State stands practically alone in making it, I am not prepared to declare that the decision was an unwise one, and I do not seek to re-open the question. It is necessary, however, to keep the historical facts in mind in order to understand the reasons for the present situation and to intelligently consider proposed remedies.

Prior to the adoption of the amendment of 1904, the tax rate on property was fixed under the law by the Governor and the Comptroller-General, after the Legislature had made its appropriations and after the digests were made up in the several counties, at whatever figure was necessary in order to meet the appropriations and to discharge the obligations of the State. Consequently under this system there could be no treasury deficit. It was merely a matter of mathematics. The Legislature and the Governor were responsible for the rate, whether high or low, because of their action in passing and approving appropriation measures. The system established direct responsibility and strict accountability to the people, and if the Legislature

or the Governor spent too much money or spent it for purposes of which the people did not approve, the remedy was in the hands of the people themselves.

After the adoption of the amendment of 1904, however, the situation completely changed. The Constitutional limit of taxation, 5 mills, was soon reached and a great tendency developed among members of the General Assembly to make liberal appropriations, since the tax rate could not exceed 5 mills, in any event, and the General Assembly could not be charged with increasing taxes. In such a situation, how easy and pleasant it was for members of the General Assembly to vote for appropriations urged with so much eloquence and zeal and persistence, year after year, by beneficiaries who urgently pressed their claims, particularly so when in most cases where the objects for which the appropriation were sought were just and meritorious!

The inevitable result of such a system was that appropriations should gradually exceed the revenue. On January 1, 1913, according to the table presented by Governor Dorsey in his message of last year (page 4) the "Deficit or amount not on hand to complete payment of 'Undrawn Balances,' amounted to \$979,277.48."

It then became apparent that something must be done to secure more revenue for the State, in order to meet its increasing needs, to pay its growing appropriations.

In such a situation, two plans and only two plans were feasible. One was to devise other and addi-

tional methods of taxation, to force classes of property then notoriously escaping taxation, to bear their just proportion of the tax burden; the other was to provide additional machinery by which the property then on the digest could be raised in value, so that, while the tax rate remained unaltered, the increased valuation would produce greater revenues for the State to pay increasing appropriations.

The latter plan was followed by the Legislature in 1913, and the result was our present so-called Tax Equalization or Tax Assessment law, whichever you choose to term it.

I have always thought that the former plan should have been followed. I thought so then, and made the first public attack on the Equalization Law. I think so yet, strongly and unalterably. I contend that if additional revenue was a necessity, as it appeared to be, that such additional revenue should have been raised from classes of property then wholly or practically untaxed, instead of simply increasing the burden of the holders of visible and tangible property, by forcing up the values on their property, and forcing them to bear practically all of the burden of taxation.

I still maintain that position, and maintain it as strongly and earnestly as possible.

Never in my life, however, have I advocated the destruction of one piece of necessary governmental machinery, unless and until I was prepared to submit a plan to provide another and more efficient or equally efficient piece of machinery in place of it. Charged with solemn responsibility, in this crisis,

of our affairs, I am not now prepared to advocate the destruction of our present tax machinery, without proposing a reasonable and efficient substitute for it. That, however, I am prepared to do.

For your part, Gentlemen of the General Assembly, charged as you are with the primary responsibility in this matter, you cannot afford, as men of honor, true to your oaths of office, faithful to the trust imposed in you by the people, to throw away our present tax machinery, unless and until you are prepared to adopt a reasonable and efficient substitute therefor. I hope that you are so prepared, that you may be able to agree upon such a substitute for our present tax system; but unless you are and until you are, you cannot afford to destroy the present assessment systems, in the present critical condition of the State's finances and in the present distressing financial condition of the people themselves. If you destroy it without providing an adequate substitute for it, or if you destroy it, and simply return, in times like these, to the old system of voluntary tax returns, without providing machinery for collecting an adequate amount of revenue from corporations, individuals and classes of property now practically untaxed by the State, you will lock the wheels of Government in this State. If you permit every corporation and individual in this State, in times like these, to pay just as much and only just as much as he or it elects to pay, then the State cannot operate, it cannot meet its obligations already assumed, it cannot pay its appropriations already made, it cannot educate its children, it can-

not open and maintain its schools, it cannot give even a meager support to its higher institutions of learning. In short, it simply cannot function, and must and will be set back more than fifty years.

These consequences are so unavoidable, so inescapable and so terrible to contemplate, that I cannot believe that the General Assembly of Georgia could possibly contemplate such a procedure. Even if irresponsible persons, upon whom, fortunately, responsibility in this matter does not rest, suggest the repeal of the tax laws and oppose every substitute therefor that is suggested and offer none themselves, surely there can be no serious excuse for the chosen representatives of the people of Georgia to entertain so demagogical a proposition. It is easy for self-seeking politicians to oppose all taxes, since all taxes are more or less unpopular, and to advocate all appropriations, since all appropriations are more or less popular, but the General Assembly of this State can never seriously contemplate such a program. The common sense of the people of Georgia may be relied upon to deal effectively with those of its public men who take such an absurd position.

I now wish to present to you what I think is a reasonable and efficient substitute for our present system, and what I recommend to you as such. Let me repeat to you, as I said last year: "I realize that a sudden change of system at a moment like the present, when business is so heavily burdened, might prove disastrous; but it must be recalled that the proposal I make cannot be put in effect unless

the people of the State amend the Constitution of Georgia, and that the proposition to do so cannot be submitted to them prior to the general election of 1922, and consequently the Legislature could not put a new system in operation, in all probability, before the calendar year of 1924. By that time, even the pessimist may reasonably expect a return to normal conditions."

In the next place, let me say that at the present moment, and especially in the present hard times, I am not so much concerned about raising more revenue as I am concerned to secure a just and equal distribution of the present burdens of taxation. In hard times, like these, by rigid economy and by drastic retrenchment, the General Assembly can, as you demonstrated last year, make the absolutely necessary appropriations within the revenues as at present provided. But when average times and normal prosperity return, the present revenue system is inadequate to produce sufficient revenue, unless we are prepared to starve our schools and to permanently deny to the Confederate Veterans pensions that the people of this State, at the ballot box, have already given us authority to make as soon as the finances of this State will permit. The old system has broken down, unless we are prepared to take backward steps in almost every direction in the administration of our State government, and in providing for those institutions and objects which have been the subjects of our care and attention in the past and at the present time.

The great fundamental trouble, outside of its in-

adequacy, about our present tax system as applied to State, County and City Taxes alike, is that there is neither justice nor fairness in the manner in which the burden is distributed. It bears hardest, and especially in times like these, upon the shoulders that are weakest, and lightest upon the shoulders that are strongest.

Under the Act of August 20, 1918, the last Special Tax Commission for Georgia was organized. It began its labors in September, 1918, and ended them in June, 1919. It was composed of many able and upright men; it made a careful and exhaustive investigation into tax matters, and made an able and comprehensive report. I agree with many but not all of its conclusions. I take pleasure in saying to you, for the second time within the year, that its report is a most valuable one, and one well worthy of the most serious consideration. Its report condemns our present tax system and it denounces it, for three reasons:

1st. Because it does not bring to the digest a reasonable part of the actual value of property of the State.

2nd. Because the property returns are not equitably apportioned between the various classes of property.

3rd. Because it does not provide adequate support and proper maintenance, on a reasonable basis for the States various departments and activities.

In elaboration of this view, let me submit the following, with particular reference to the second and,

in my opinion, the most vital of the objections urged by the Commission:

In 1920, according to the reports of the Comptroller-General, real estate (including city property) was assessed for taxation at a valuation of \$714,151,382, while money and solvent debts were valued at only \$81,500,073, merchandise at \$77,515,231, stocks and bonds at \$4,807,964. According to that same report, household and kitchen furniture, practically all of it except that of the very rich being without any real cash value, paid taxes on a valuation of \$41,435,377, as against a \$4,807,964 valuation of stocks and bonds. Horses, mules and cattle in this State were assessed at \$63,427,932, against a little over \$4,800,000 for stocks and bonds.

Plantation and mechanical tools, implements with which the poor and lowly make their daily bread, were valued at \$15,480,349, or more than three times as much as all of the stocks and bonds of this State.

Again, under our present delightful tax system, while the value of all property was increasing from \$261,000,000 (round figures) in 1875, to \$1,347,000,000 in 1920, about 416 per cent, the taxable value of money, notes, accounts and solvent debts only increased in the same period from \$37,000,000 to \$81,000,000, or about 119 per cent; in other words, money, notes, accounts and solvent debts increased for taxation purposes only one-third of the general increase of all property in the State.

Let me quote you, next, from the report of our State Tax Commission of 1919:

“Again, we are unable to form any well grounded

conclusion as to the value of money, notes and accounts, bonds and taxable stocks of the State. It appears, however, that there was \$322,000.00 on deposit in the banks of the State in September, 1918, according to the Bankers' Encyclopedia. We know from the tax digest that there was returned last year, in round numbers, in money, notes, mortgages, accounts, bonds and taxable stocks, \$65,000,000. This condition would be ludicrous if it was not absolutely distressing to all fair-minded citizens."

Again: "Money, notes, accounts and solvent debts" were returned for taxation for the year 1920 at \$81,500,073.

The report of our State Bank Examiner as of date December 2, 1921, showed at that time on deposit in the State Banks of Georgia alone \$261,653,393.00.

As a rule, in this State the deposits in our National Banks located in Georgia amount to a little more than half of those in our State banks, so that in 1920 the deposits in all our banks was approximately \$400,000,000. When it is recalled that the item of \$81,500,000 covered the returns not only on money, but on notes, accounts and solvent debts, and that according to the best estimates that are obtainable, the aggregate of these notes, accounts and debts is greater than the amount of money on hand, it is perfectly evident that not ten per cent of the actual money on hand in the State was returned for taxation in the year 1920.

But why multiply instances of these glaring injustices and inequalities? It could be done almost indefinitely, but I shall not tax your patience with

further detail. Yes, there is just one more I shall cite, because it is particularly significant. In the face of the deflation in values that is now upon us, property returns, on the whole, shrunk seven per cent in Georgia between 1920 and 1921, and yet in this same period money, notes and accounts shrunk from \$81,500,000 in 1920, to \$64,906,000 in 1921, or more than twenty per cent.

In the light of these facts, I submit a substantive, concrete proposal. I propose that the State shall abandon the field of property taxation on the ad valorem basis, leaving that field to the exclusive possession of the local authorities, county and city, subject to such limitations as may be placed by law on the exercise of that power by them. In lieu of the property tax for State purposes and as a substitute for it, I propose a graduated income tax, and I urge the General Assembly to submit to the people in the election this Fall a constitutional amendment to that effect.

If the people should authorize such a change in our taxing system, then the tax machinery of the Federal Government could be largely utilized, if not entirely utilized, for State purposes. Thus we would effect a saving of the expense involved in the creation and maintenance of an extensive and expensive tax machinery of our own and would avoid the necessity for burdening the taxpayer with a double set of returns, one to the Federal and another to the State government.

For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, the Federal government collected from Georgia, in income

tax, \$25,062,149.50. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, \$33,731,768.04. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, \$32,000,000.00. This average for these three years is slightly in excess of \$30,000,000.00 per annum, and when it is recalled that the greatest amount of revenue that we can hope to obtain for the present year from all ad valorem taxes, including property on the digest and public corporation taxes, will be only about \$5,500,000, it is perfectly apparent that a very reasonable percentage of the tax now collected by the Federal Government in Georgia would produce revenue equal to the amount produced by our present system, and with a very slight increase of that percentage, we will be enabled to raise sufficient revenue to supply all the necessities of the State.

I repeat my recommendation to you of last year in favor of an income tax. It should be a tax on net incomes, in the same sense that such a tax is levied and collected by the Federal Government. It should not contain a tax on the gross output of manufacturing and industrial concerns. Georgia needs too much development along this line to permit of such a drastic tax; besides, such a tax is inherently unjust and unfair. Under a proper income tax, we could give adequate support to our common schools, and continue with even greater success our present campaign for the eradication of illiteracy in Georgia. We could give to our Confederate pensioners and to our great institutions of learning, to our great humanitarian and charitable institutions, to our common schools, and to other departments of

the State government that adequate and just support to which they are entitled, after the principles of real economy and scrupulous honesty are applied to their operation.

If the people will make the change I have suggested, it will secure many advantages. Let me endeavor to enumerate some of them:

1st. We will be able to do away with our present tax assessment system.

2nd. We will be able to collect our revenue quarterly and in that way to pay as we go and to meet our appropriations as they come due.

3rd. In that way it will put upon the intangible and invisible property of this State that fair and just proportion of the burden of the government which it ought to bear and which it now almost wholly escapes. If the question be raised as to how an income tax will do more towards forcing intangible and invisible property to bear some proportion of the burdens of the State Government than our present system of taxation, then the reply is three-fold:

a. We will eventually be able to utilize the tremendous machinery of the Federal Government, with its thousands of inspectors and agents who are constantly examining into tax matters and forcing the return on a great percentage of all incomes.

b. The question of value is one of opinion, and one about which there may be honest differences of opinion. The question of income is one of fact,

about which there can be no honest difference of opinion. It is only necessary to ascertain the facts.

c. The income tax law applies only to the income on such intangible and invisible property, and not to its principal value.

This is the principle that has induced many of our leading States to adopt the income tax plan of reaching this property, rather than rely upon clumsy and impractical machinery under an *ad valorem* system. Since most of the larger States have adopted the income tax plan of reaching these classes of property, it is a safe plan for Georgia to follow, since we do not wish to tighten credits in this State or to drive this class of property, that can easily be removed, into other States. Besides, it must be remembered that whatever amount of income tax is paid by the corporation or individual to the State can be deducted from his or its income tax return to the Federal Government.

4th. It will distribute the burden more equally and more equitably, and will place it upon the shoulders of those who are strongest and best able to bear it. Agriculture is practically prostrate in this State. For two years a vast number of our people who follow this means of livelihood have made nothing and have sustained frightful losses. For the second year now they have been practically unable to pay their taxes. Tens of thousands of tax fi fas against farmers have been taken up by relatives, friends or creditors, and are awaiting payment if that ever becomes possible. Thousands of

farms have been legally advertised and other thousands sold for taxes in Georgia. The same thing is true as to homes held by the masses of people, in cities, towns and villages. These people are entitled to some relief, to some lessening, if possible, of the burdens of taxation upon them. So long as agriculture languishes, every other industry and business in the State languishes. When it revives, every other business and every other industry will revive with it.

The State Tax Commissioner informs me that the property returns this year will fall to practically \$1,000,000,000, and this reduction is from the high-water mark of 1920, when the property returns were \$1,346,882,000. Of the \$1,000,000,000 tax values in Georgia for the present year, substantially \$600,000,000 represents land and real estate. When to this great class of property is added every other class of tangible and visible property, the demonstration is complete that more than 90 per cent of the burdens of State taxation are borne and carried by the holders and owners of tangible and visible property. These men cannot bear the burden any longer, and are entitled to relief. If you will adopt the proposition I present to you, and the people shall ratify it, every single one of them will get relief from the whole of the five mills of State tax, and while this by no means is the larger part of the burdens of taxation which they must carry, for they will still be left to bear the expense of county and city governments, it is some relief and is most necessary and important in the present crisis.

For the above reasons, and for other reasons fully elaborated in my message to you last summer, I reiterate the recommendation I then made to you, which is that we substitute a State income tax for our present system of ad valorem taxation for State purposes.

As I stated in the outset of my discussion of this subject, I have no pride of opinion about this matter, and merely give you my views upon it because of the duty imposed upon me by law to do so, because of my honest, earnest and unshakable convictions upon the subject.

Since, however, the subject is acute and every possible angle of it ought to be considered, it is my duty to call to your attention certain alternative proposals on this question that are entitled to serious consideration at your hands.

In the first place, I deem it my duty to invite your attention to the report and recommendation of the Tax Commission of 1919. That body as a substitute for Paragraph 1, Section 2, Article 7 of the Constitution of 1877, recommended the following:

“All taxes shall be levied and collected under general laws and for public purposes only. The General Assembly shall have the power to classify property for taxation and to adopt different rates and methods for different classes of property and to segregate different cases of property for State and local taxation. But all taxation shall be uniform upon the same classes of subjects within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax. Taxes may be levied ad valorem upon any given class of

property without regard to the method used in levying taxes on any other class of property. Taxes may be imposed upon incomes, inheritances, privileges and occupations, which classes of taxes may be graduated, and when levied may contain provisions for reasonable exemptions.”

Another proposal which deserves serious consideration at your hands is as follows:

Substitute for Paragraph 1, Section 2, Article 7 of the Constitution of 1877 the following language:

“All taxes shall be uniform upon the same classes of subjects, and when ad valorem, assessed on all property within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws, and for the purposes only, authorized by this Constitution. The General Assembly may impose taxes not to exceed 6 per centum upon incomes, also tax upon inheritances, privileges and occupations, all of which taxes may be graduated and the laws under which they are levied may contain provisions for reasonable exemptions. The General Assembly shall exempt all property, real and personal, except that of public service corporations, from ad valorem taxes for State purposes in each year in which the revenues from other sources are sufficient to meet the legal obligations of the State maturing during the year and to pay the appropriations made by the General Assembly for that year. In the event, however, such revenues are insufficient for those purposes, then an ad valorem tax not to exceed 2 1-2 mills upon each dollar of the value of all property, real and personal, may be levied.”

In support of this proposition many strong arguments can be advanced. It has many merits, many checks and counter-checks. In the first place, it guarantees some affirmative relief by remitting at least 50 per cent of the amount of State taxes now paid on the ad valorem basis by property holders of this State. In addition to that, if the times are normally prosperous, it means, in all probability, there will be no necessity for levying a State property tax in Georgia, provided the Legislature is reasonably economical in its appropriations. In the next place, by the imposition of a limit upon the income tax rate, it guarantees the corporation and individuals who will pay the income tax against excessive burden; and in the next place, it gives to the Legislature strong reasons for economy in its expenditures, because otherwise the collection of a general property tax will be necessary throughout the State, and that would be quite likely to prove unpopular. Then, again, it leaves the great masses of the citizens and taxpayers of Georgia in a position where they are the guardians of economical appropriations and expenditures. If the appropriations are too large to be met by the limited income tax, they must foot the bill. It is only fair to mention that under a system very much like this, no State property tax has been levied for two years past in the State of North Carolina.

In presenting to you not only my own views on this great question, but the various views and plans that have been suggested and considered, I feel that I am only discharging my Constitutional duty to you

and to the public. Taxation is the most complex and complicated of all questions that legislative bodies are called upon to consider, and I know that at your hands it will have the thoughtful and careful consideration that is imperatively demanded. If the present taxing system of Georgia is to be abolished, then it is your duty to provide an efficient and adequate substitute therefor, and one that will distribute the burden of taxation justly and equitably among all citizens and among all classes of property.

If we are to educate our children, improve our highways, maintain our charitable and humanitarian institutions, and sustain the proud position of Georgia as the Empire State of the South, the wealth of the State must foot the bill, and not its poverty. The taxing system of the State should be revised with wisdom and with justice to all persons and to all classes of property.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

TABLE A.

Undrawn appropriations of 1921	
brought forward to 1922, unpaid	\$4,261,446.54
Last quarter of 1921 Civil Establish-	
ment -----	109,825.00
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Total -----	\$4,371,271.54
By amount paid on same to	
June 10th -----	\$4,197,705.73
By amount paid on Civil	
Establishment for last	
quarter of 1921 -----	109,825.00
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	\$4,307,530.73
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Total 1921 appropriations unpaid on	
June 10 -----	\$ 63,740.81
Appropriations for 1922 -----	9,438,845.15
Less 1922 appropriations paid by war-	
rants to June 10, 1922 ----- *	2,469,650.86
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Total unpaid 1922 appropriations	
June 10, 1922 -----	\$6,969,194.29
Paid on 1921 appropriations -----	4,197,705.73
Paid of Civil Establishment 4th quarter	
of 1921 -----	109,825.00
Paid on 1922 appropriations -----	2,469,650.86
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Total -----	\$6,777,181.59
Amount of 1921 appropriations yet un-	
paid as above -----	63,740.81

Amount of 1922 appropriations yet unpaid, as above -----** 6,969,194.29

Aggregate unpaid June 10, 1922-----\$7,032,935.10

*Summary of disbursements by warrants since January 1, 1922, exclusive of Highway funds and refunds of W. & A. rental warrants.

**Note—The amount of unpaid 1922 appropriations does not include Temporary Loan of \$500,000.00 and interest of \$13,472.00, due September 9, 1922, borrowed on February 27, 1922, and used to pay 1921 school appropriation. This is an obligation to become due and not an appropriation.

Schedule of 1922 appropriations and estimates attached..

APPROPRIATIONS AND ESTIMATES 1922.

By Academy for Blind -----	\$ 36,000.00
“ Aricultural Schools -----	180,000.00
“ Albany Normal School (for Colored) -----	15,000.00
“ Binding Journals -----	550.00
“ Board of Health -----	91,431.00
“ Board of Public Welfare -----	15,000.00
“ Bowdon State N. and I. College-----	15,000.00
“ Civil Establishment -----	439,300.00
“ Coastal Plains Experiment Station -----	22,500.00
“ College for Colored -----	10,000.00
“ Contingent Fund -----	25,000.00
“ Contingent Fund Commerce and Labor -----	1,800.00

“ Contingent Fund Railroad Commis- sion -----	3,000.00
“ Contingent Fund, Supreme Court--	3,000.00
“ Contingent Fund, Court of Appeals	3,000.00
“ Department of Agriculture:	
(a) Maintenance -----	18,000.00
(b) Pure Food -----	10,000.00
(c) Chemicals -----	15,500.00
(d) Contagious Diseases -----	5,000.00
(e) Hog Cholera Serum -----	10,000.00
(f) Inspectors' Salary, etc. ---E	29,999.13
(g) Tick Eradication -----	25,000.00
(h) Veterinarian Expenses ---E	1,618.00
“ Department of Archives and His- tory -----	6,000.00
“ Dept. of Commerce and Labor, Salaries -----	8,100.00
“ Department of Public Printing, Salaries -----	3,000.00
“ Experiment Station -----	8,000.00
“ Furniture and Replacement (H. & S.) -----	700.00
“ Game Protection Fund, Salary----	3,600.00
“ Geological Fund -----	15,000.00
“ Georgia Normal and Industrial College -----	102,500.00
“ Horticultural Fund -----	63,000.00
“ Incidental Expense General As- sembly -----	250.00
“ Indexing House and Senate Jour- nal -----	250.00
“ Indian Spring Fund -----	105.00

“ Inspection of Fertilizers -----E	41,941.03
“ Inspection of Oils—	
Salaries ----\$5,100.50	
Expenses --- 1,000.50	
	6,101.00
“ Insurance Public Building, etc.----	105,000.00
“ Insurance Department Fund ----	9,200.00
“ Land Script Fund Interest-----	6,314.14
“ Legislative Committees -----	7,500.00
“ Legislative Pay Roll -----E	117,174.56
“ Library Commission -----	6,000.00
“ Library Fund -----	4,250.00
“ Library Fund Reference Bureau--	1,400.00
“ Library Fund Court of Appeals--	1,000.00
“ Market Bureau -----	103,000.00
“ Military Fund -----	25,000.00
“ North Georgia A. & M. College----	27,000.00
“ Overpayment Taxes Refunded---E	8,448.54
“ Pension Fund ----	1,250,000.00
“ Printing Fund -----	40,000.00
“ Printing Fund, Railroad Commis-	
sion -----	2,000.00
“ Prison Fund -----	107,500.00
“ Public Buildings and Grounds----	35,000.00
“ Publishing Georgia Reports -----	10,000.00
“ Public Debt:	
(a) Interest -----	\$226,030.00
Interest at $4\frac{3}{4}$	
per cent -----	4,108.75—
(b) Sinking Fund -----	100,000.00
(c) Refunding Bonds -----	207,000.00
“ Rate Expert Fund -----	4,000.00

“ Reward Fund -----	3,000.00
“ Roster Fund -----	3,600.00
“ School for the Deaf -----	70,000.00
“ School Fund -----	4,250,000.00
“ School for Mental Defectives -----	25,000.00
“ School of Technology -----	112,500.00
“ Soldiers’ Home -----	45,000.00
“ Solicitors Generals’ Fees -----E	9,825.00
“ South Georgia A. & M. College, Val. -----	31,500.00
“ Special Appropriation, Legislative Comm. -----	7,500.00
“ State Medical College -----	49,500.00
“ State Normal School -----	63,000.00
“ State Sanitarium -----	800,000.00
“ State University, Support Fund--	93,000.00
“ State University, for Agri. College	117,250.00
“ State University, for Summer School -----	6,000.00
“ Summer School Colored Teachers--	2,500.00
“ Training School for Boys-----	27,000.00
“ Training School for Girls-----	31,500.00
“ Tuberculosis Sanitarium -----	50,000.00
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\$9,438,845.15	

TABLE B.

AS OF DATE JUNE 10, 1922.

Estimated revenue from all sources
except ad valorem taxes:

Railroad and other public service corporations -----	\$ 828,508.16
Rental of State's property located at Chattanooga, Tenn. -----	8,340.00
Income tax from railroads -----	2,044.00
Insurance tax and insurance fees -----	700,000.00
Inheritance tax -----	330,000.00
Interest from depositories -----	15,000.00
Fertilizer fees -----	200,000.00
Pure food fees -----	30,000.00
Oil fees -----	400,000.00
Oil fees due from United States Court	275,597.00
Game protection fees -----	5,000.00
Office fees -----	8,000.00
Fuel oil tax -----	800,000.00
Occupation tax -----	250,000.00
Carbonic Acid Gas -----	20,000.00
All other special or occupation taxes --	550,000.00
Sale of Acts, Codes and Court of App. Reports -----	5,000.00
Poll tax -----	392,000.00
Professional tax -----	62,700.00
Taxes collected not on digest -----	100,000.00
Miscellaneous (back taxes, etc.) -----	50,000.00
Total -----	\$5,032,189.16

Revenue collected, see list attached ---- 1,248,049.03

Balance -----	\$3,784,140.13
1921 ad valorem taxes uncollected June	
10, 1922 -----	572,594.51
1919, 1920 and 1921 railroad taxes un-	
collected June 10th -----	66,268.53
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Total -----	\$ 638,863.04

This estimate of revenue due and revenue collected does not contain and receipts from Motor Vehicle Fees, Rental of W. & A. Railroad or borrowed money.

1922 TAXES COLLECTED IN 1922 THROUGH JUNE 10, 1922.

To Abstract Companies Tax -----	\$ 45.00
“ Adding Machine Companies -----	1,080.00
“ Advertising Agents -----	792.00
“ Agencies -----	1,597.50
“ Auto Accessories -----	3,150.00
“ Artists -----	414.00
“ Athletic Clubs -----	90.00
“ Auctioneers -----	810.00
“ Automobile Agents -----	14,377.05
“ Auto Assembling Plants -----	270.00
“ Awning and Tent Makers -----	135.00
“ Adjustment Bureaus -----	45.00
“ Back Taxes -----	12,953.77
“ Bill Distributors -----	22.50
“ Barbers' Shops -----	8,325.63
“ Barbers' Supplies -----	180.00

" Beauty Parlors -----	216.00
" Bee License Tax -----	375.00
" Bicycles -----	513.00
" Billards and Pool -----	18,630.00
" Bill Posters -----	540.90
" Book Agents -----	4.50
" Bond Makers -----	180.00
" Bottlers -----	405.00
" Brokers (S. & B.)-----	3,150.00
" Cafes and Restaurants -----	1,552.50
" Carbonic Acid Gas -----	5,704.92
" Cars for Hire -----	2,394.00
" Cash Registers -----	540.00
" Cemetery Agents -----	198.00
" Cigar Dealers (W. & R.)-----	1,777.50
" Cigarette Dealers -----	68,672.30
" Coal and Wood Dealers -----	2,322.00
" Cold Storage Tax -----	8,370.00
" Construction Companies -----	209.14
" Contractors -----	1,250.68
" Cost on Fi Fas -----	8.00
" Detective Agents -----	585.00
" Directory Tax -----	112.50
" Dividends from Stocks -----	1,391.00
" Dry Cleaners -----	450.00
" Electrical Contractors and Elec- tricians -----	144.00
" Electric Shows -----	3,205.64
" Electric Shows Supplies -----	1,350.00
" Employment Agencies -----	495.00
" Fees from Fertilizers -----	159,000.00
" Fees from Pure Food -----	14,000.00
" Forest Reserve Fund -----	6.10

“ Fuel Oil Tax -----	151,137.21
“ Games -----	112.50
“ Game Protection Fees -----	5,000.00
“ Garages -----	3,165.75
“ Hotels -----	4,027.95
“ Ice Cream Dealers, wholesale -----	274.50
“ Inheritance Tax -----	147,321.73
“ Insolvent General Tax -----	19,210.34
“ Insolvent Poll Tax -----	416.23
“ Insurance Agents -----	22,423.50
“ Insurance Fees -----	52,186.00
“ Insurance Tax by Companies -----	106,485.97
“ Implement and Machinery Mfrs. and Agents -----	430.00
“ Interest from Depositories -----	695.59
“ Junk Dealers -----	918.00
“ Land Title Registration Fees -----	80.97
“ Laundries -----	562.50
“ Lease Indian Spring -----	110.00
“ Lenders on Wages -----	3,510.00
“ Lighting Plants -----	67.50
“ Live Stock Dealers -----	1,165.50
“ Loan Agents -----	693.00
“ Lumber Dealers -----	193.50
“ Manufacturers Soft Drinks -----	1,495.39
“ Merchandise Brokers -----	1,957.50
“ Money Refunded -----	1,794.26
“ Monument Dealers -----	468.00
“ Motorcycle Dealers -----	112.50
“ Musical Dealers -----	3,924.00
“ Occupation Tax (Capital) -----	208,180.04
“ Office Fees -----	150.25

“ Oil Fees -----	26,426.02
“ Oyster and Shrimp Packers -----	315.00
“ Palmists -----	810.00
“ Pawnbrokers -----	5,490.00
“ Peddlers -----	4,590.00
“ Pensions Refunded -----	83,782.03
“ Picture Frame Dealers -----	9.00
“ Pistols and Cartridges -----	7,600.50
“ Playing Card Dealers -----	2,079.00
“ Patented Articles -----	22.50
“ Pumping Systems -----	90.00
“ Railroad News Companies -----	1,350.00
“ Real Estate Agents -----	3,393.00
“ Rental Public Property -----	8,475.00
“ Safes and Vaults -----	360.00
“ Sale of Public Property -----	1,049.07
“ Sale of Acts -----	213.58
“ Sale of Codes -----	391.64
“ Sale of Court of Appeal Reports---	698.70
“ Sale of Supreme Court Reports----	1,076.87
“ Sanitariums -----	1,057.50
“ Sewing Machine Agents -----	870.00
“ Sewing Machine Companies -----	400.00
“ Show Tax -----	776.71
“ Slot Machines -----	859.50
“ Soda Fount Tax -----	3,424.50
“ Stevedores -----	270.00
“ Steamboat Companies -----	90.00
“ Teachers' Agencies -----	135.00
“ Traders -----	22.50
“ Trucks (G. & O.) -----	3,699.00
“ Typewriter Agents -----	1,440.00

“ Undertakers -----	3,460.50
“ Used Car Dealers -----	270.00
“ Warehouses -----	2,380.50
“ Weighing Scales -----	367.20

Total receipts during January 1st-

June 10th, 1922-----\$1,248,049.03

TABLE "C".

TAX RATE OF CITIES 1921.

Abbeville -----	20	Bibb City -----	0
Acworth -----	12½	Bishop -----	5
Adel -----	25	Blackshear -----	20
Adairsville -----	15	Blakely -----	15
Adrian -----	7½	Blue Ridge -----	22½
Ailey -----	0	Bogart -----	7½
Alapaha -----	9½	Boston -----	15
Albany -----	19	Bowersville -----	17½
Alma -----	17½	Bowman -----	8
Alto -----	3	Braswell -----	0
Americus -----	20	Bremen -----	15
Apalachee -----	3	Brewton -----	0
Arabi -----	6½	Bristol -----	0
Arlington -----	17½	Bronwood -----	10
Ashburn -----	17	Brooklet -----	5
Athens -----	17	Broxton -----	25
Atlanta -----	15	Brunswick -----	20
Auburn -----	3	Buchanan -----	0
Augusta -----	19½	Buena Vista -----	21
Austell -----	11½	Buford -----	20
Avera -----	5	Bullochville -----	2½
Aberdeen -----	1	Butler -----	0
Alamo -----	12	Byromville -----	5
Arcade -----	5	Byron -----	3¾
Avalon -----	2	Bowden -----	10
Argyle -----	3	Bridgeboro -----	0
Baconton -----	15	Box Springs -----	0
Bainbridge -----	15	Bostwick -----	0
Baldwin -----	5	Brooks -----	5
Ball Ground -----	5	Brinson -----	5
Barnesville -----	10	Cadwell -----	14
Bartow -----	10	Cairo -----	15
Baxley -----	17½	Calhoun -----	20
Bellton -----	3	Camak -----	10
Belmont -----	6	Camilla -----	15
Berlin -----	5	Canon -----	2½
Bethlehem -----	2½	Canton -----	11

Carlton -----	8	Danville -----	5
Carrollton -----	17½	Dawson -----	18
Cartersville -----	18	Decatur -----	15
Cave Springs -----	9	Douglas -----	18½
Cecil -----	5	Douglasville -----	12½
Cedartown -----	17½	Dublin -----	15
Chalybeate Springs	5	Dahlonega -----	8.3
Chauncey -----	5	Eastman -----	15
Chatsworth -----	5	Eatonton -----	15
Chester -----	5	Elberton -----	15½
Chickamauga -----	12½	Ellaville -----	10
Chipley -----	10.1	Ellijay -----	9
Clarkesville -----	10	Fairburn -----	20
Claxton -----	8	Fayetteville -----	5
Clayton -----	15	Fitzgerald -----	15.7
Climax -----	10	Forsyth -----	9
Cobbtown -----	5	Fort Gaines -----	15
Cochran -----	16½	Fort Valley -----	15
Colbert -----	3	Franklin -----	2½
Coleman -----	5	Gainesville -----	17½
College Park -----	20	Garfield -----	5
Collins -----	8	Gay -----	5
Colquitt -----	9	Geneva -----	0
Columbus -----	18	Georgetown -----	0
Comer -----	5	Gibson -----	5
Commerce -----	15	Gillsville -----	2
Concord -----	7½	Glennville -----	15
Conyers -----	18½	Glenwood -----	5
Cooledge -----	10	Godfrey -----	5
Cordele -----	16.6	Gordon -----	10
Cornelia -----	17½	Grantville -----	10
Covington -----	15¾	Grayson -----	2½
Crawfordville -----	11	Greensboro -----	15
Crossland -----	10	Greenville -----	10
Culloden -----	4	Griffin -----	18½
Cusseta -----	4	Guysie -----	0
Cuthbert -----	22½	Guyton -----	10
Center -----	2	Graham -----	0
Clarkston -----	3.7	Gray -----	0
Dallas -----	8½	Graysville -----	0
Dalton -----	15	Hagan -----	2½

Hahira -----	20½	Lake Park -----	5
Hamilton -----	5	Lavonia -----	17½
Hampton -----	8½	Lawrenceville ----	19
Hapeville -----	15	Leary -----	5
Haralson -----	0	Leesburg -----	10
Harrison -----	0	Lenox -----	5
Hartwell -----	20	Leslie -----	5
Hawkinsville ----	20	Lexington -----	0
Hazlehurst -----	17½	Lilburn -----	5
Helena -----	10½	Lithia Springs ---	3
Higgstown -----	0	Lithonia -----	25
Hillsboro -----	0	Locust Grove ----	3½
Hiram -----	0	Logansville -----	10
Hogansville ----	15	Louisville -----	16
Homeland -----	5	Lovejoy -----	2
Homerville -----	5	Lovett -----	5
Hoschton -----	12½	Ludowici -----	5
Holly Springs ---	2	Lula -----	6
Hickox -----	0	Lumber City ----	12½
Hilltonia -----	0	Lumpkin -----	22
Helen -----	8	Luthersville ----	4
Hoboken -----	4	Lyerly -----	4
Ideal -----	11	Lyons -----	16½
Iron City -----	10	Lily -----	20
Inman -----	0	Linwood -----	5
Jackson -----	16	*Lincolnton -----	15
Jasper -----	3½	Macon -----	15
Jefferson -----	17	Madison -----	18
Jenkinsburg ----	5	Manchester -----	10
Jesup -----	15	Mansfield -----	15
Jonesboro -----	10	Mapleton -----	0
Junction City ---	5	Marietta -----	14
Jakin -----	5	Marshallville ----	0
Keysville -----	5	Martin -----	5½
Kingsland -----	4	Maysville -----	15
Kingston -----	2½	*Meigs -----	10
Kirkwood -----	17½	Menlo -----	4
Kite -----	8	Merrillville ----	0
LaFayette -----	12	Metcalf -----	5
Lawson -----	3	Metter -----	23
LaGrange -----	12½	Midville -----	15

* Milan -----	5	Ochlocknee -----	0
Milledgeville -----	12½	Odessadale -----	5
Millen -----	10	Odum -----	7½
Milner -----	7½	*Oglethorpe -----	21
Mineral Bluff -----	5	Oliver -----	5
Mitchell -----	2½	Omega -----	5
Molena -----	4½	Oxford -----	0
Monroe -----	12½	Palmetto -----	15
Montezuma -----	15	Parrott -----	8
Monticello -----	6	Patterson -----	0
Moreland -----	5	Pavo -----	12
*Morven -----	8	Pearson -----	12½
Moultrie -----	21	Pelham -----	15
Mountville -----	1	Pembroke -----	10
Mountain City -----	5	Pepperton -----	4
Mount Airy -----	10	Perry -----	18
*Mystic -----	5	Pinehurst -----	20
Modoc -----	0	Pine Park -----	7
Middleton -----	0	Pineview -----	5
Mauk -----	5	Pitts -----	9
Morgan -----	0	Plains -----	10
Mount Vernon -----	0	Plainville -----	3½
*Milltown -----	30	Pooler -----	5
Meansville -----	5	Poulan -----	8½
Montrose -----	0	Powder Springs -----	5
Manassas -----	5	Primrose -----	6
McCaysville -----	25	Pendergrass -----	2½
McDonough -----	10	Preston -----	7½
McRae -----	8	Plainfield -----	2½
Nashville -----	27½	Quitman -----	19
*Naylor -----	5	Ray City -----	5
Newborn -----	12	Rebecca -----	10
Newnan -----	12½	Reidsville -----	10
*Nicholls -----	20	Rentz -----	20
Nicholson -----	1	Reynolds -----	5
Norcross -----	9	Rhine -----	5
Norman Park -----	7½	Richland -----	20
Nunez -----	5	Ringgold -----	2½
Newington -----	5	Roberta -----	5
Oakfield -----	5	Rochelle -----	15
Ocilla -----	22	Rockmart -----	12½

Rocky Ford -----	5	Swainsboro -----	10
Rome -----	15	Sylvania -----	10
Rossville -----	5	Sycamore -----	7½
Roswell -----	10.6	Sylvester -----	18
Royston -----	17½	Scotland -----	14
Ranger -----	10	Stonewall -----	0
Riverdale -----	0	Sugar Valley -----	5
Rockledge -----	10	Shingler -----	3
Reno -----	0	Talbotton -----	10
Sale City -----	10	Tallapoosa -----	14
Sandersville -----	17½	Tullulah Falls -----	4
Sasser -----	5	Tarrytown -----	20
Savannah -----	16.6	Temple -----½-----	5
Scott -----	5	Tennille -----	17½
Screven -----	5	Thomaston -----	17
Senoia -----	13½	Thomasville -----	14
*Seville -----	5	Thomson -----	15
Shady Dale -----	6	Tifton -----	18
Sharon -----	5	Tiger -----	5
Sharpsburg -----	5	Toccoa -----	16.7
Shellman -----	15	Toombsboro -----	5
Smithville -----	5	Trenton -----	0
Smyrna -----	7½	Turin -----	2½
Social Circle -----	16	Tybee -----	10
Soperton -----	10	*Ty-Ty -----	10
Sparks -----	20	Tyrone -----	3
Sparta -----	12	Tennga -----	0
*Stapleton -----	10	Talking Rock -----	4
Springfield -----	3	Tignall -----	8
Statesboro -----	19	Twin City -----	20
Statham -----	10	Unadilla -----	20
Stillmore -----	12	Union City -----	20
Stockbridge -----	8¾	*Union Point -----	6½
Stone Mountain -----	14	Uvalda -----	3
St. Charles -----	5	Uptonville -----	0
St. George -----	5	Valdosta -----	16.7
*Summertown -----	6	Vidalia -----	15
Summerville -----	15	Vienna -----	16
*Sumner -----	5	Villa Rica -----	7½
Sunny Side -----	0	Vanna -----	½
Suwanee -----	4	*Vidette -----	5

Waco -----	7½	Woodland -----	3½
Wadley -----	10	Woodstock -----	2½
Waresboro -----	4	Worth -----	0
*Warrenton -----	15	Wrens -----	8
Warsaw -----	3	*Wrightsville -----	10
Warwick -----	5	Woolsey -----	0
Washington -----	13	Weston -----	7½
Watkinsville -----	5	Woodbine -----	5
Waycross -----	18	Wesley -----	2½
Waynesboro -----	6	Waverly Hall -----	2
West Point -----	17½	Yatesville -----	4
Whigham -----	8	White -----	3½
White Plains -----	0	Zebulon -----	7½
Whitesburg -----	5	Average rate 10.1 mills.	
*Willacoochee -----	17½	-----	
Winder -----	15		
Winokur -----	0		
Woodbury -----	7		

*Denotes tax rate
levied in 1920.

COUNTY	Bonded Debt	Floating Debt	Total Tax Rate (Mills)	State's Proportion (Per Cent)
Appling -----	\$ 40,000	\$ 20,000	20	25
Atkinson -----	72,500	20,000	32 $\frac{1}{4}$	15.5
Bacon -----	100,000	150,000	30	16.6
Baker -----	-----	-----	31	16.1
Baldwin -----	-----	-----	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	20.4
Banks -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Barrow -----	250,000	-----	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	21.2
Bartow -----	-----	-----	25	20
Ben Hill -----	42,500	20,000	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	22.2
Berrien -----	-----	-----	22	22.7
Bibb -----	1,440,000	-----	19	26.3
Bleckley -----	65,000	-----	24 $\frac{1}{2}$	20.4
Brantley -----	-----	-----	16	31.2
Brooks -----	125,000	-----	21	23.8
Bryan -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Bulloch -----	-----	-----	22	22.7
Burke -----	-----	-----	16	31.2
Butts -----	-----	-----	27	18.5
Calhoun -----	-----	-----	40	12.5
Camden -----	-----	-----	18 $\frac{3}{4}$	26.6
Candler -----	-----	-----	35	14.3
Campbell -----	-----	-----	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	22.2
Carroll -----	-----	-----	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	22.4
Catoosa -----	-----	-----	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	23.2
Charlton -----	50,000	-----	22.8	21.9
Chatham -----	2,583,000	-----	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	22.4
Chattahoochee ---	-----	-----	20	25
Chattooga -----	33,000	25,000	23	21.7
Clarke -----	510,000	-----	17	29.4
Cherokee -----	-----	-----	20	25

COUNTY	Bonded Debt	Floating Debt	Total Tax Rate (Mills)	State's Proportion (Per Cent)
Clay -----	-----	-----	22½	22.2
Clayton -----	-----	-----	21½	23.2
Clinch -----	-----	-----	17½	28.5
Cobb -----	-----	-----	22½	22.2
Coffee -----	-----	-----	23½	21.2
Colquitt -----	500,000	-----	22	22.7
Columbia -----	-----	-----	20	25
Cook -----	240,000	-----	25	20
Coweta -----	500,000	-----	22½	22.2
Crawford -----	-----	-----	25	20
Crisp -----	40,000	-----	20	25
Dade -----	60,000	-----	19.3	25.9
Dawson -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Decatur -----	-----	-----	25	20
DeKalb -----	500,000	-----	22½	22.2
Dodge -----	94,000	30,000	22½	22.2
Dooly -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Dougherty -----	460,000	-----	18	27.7
Douglas -----	-----	-----	27.8	18
Early -----	-----	-----	27	18.5
Echols -----	-----	-----	27	18.5
Effingham -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Elbert -----	-----	-----	19½	25.5
Emanuel -----	-----	-----	30	16.6
Evans -----	-----	-----	37	13.8
Fannin -----	-----	-----	30	16.6
Fayette -----	-----	-----	25½	19.5
Floyd -----	704,000	-----	19	26.3
Forsyth -----	-----	-----	26½	18.8
Franklin -----	30,000	-----	25	20

COUNTY	Bonded Debt	Floating Debt	Total Tax Rate (Mills)	State's Proportion (Per Cent)
Fulton -----	-----	-----	22½	22.2
Gilmer -----	-----	-----	17½	28.5
Glascock -----	-----	-----	27	18.5
Glynn -----	310,000	-----	23	21.7
Gordon -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Grady -----	-----	-----	27	18.5
Greene -----	-----	-----	21	23.8
Gwinnett -----	-----	-----	22½	22.2
Habersham -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
Hall -----	60,000	-----	22½	22.2
Hancock -----	44,000	-----	20	25
Haralson -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
Harris -----	35,000	-----	23½	21.2
Hart -----	-----	-----	25	20
Heard -----	-----	-----	30	16.7
Henry -----	-----	-----	30	16.7
Houston -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Irwin -----	-----	-----	24½	20.4
Jackson -----	100,000	-----	20	25
Jasper -----	-----	-----	22	22.7
Jeff Davis -----	-----	-----	26	19.2
Jefferson -----	50,000	100,000	20	25
Jenkins -----	-----	-----	28½	17.5
Johnson -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
Jones -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Lamar -----	-----	-----	20	25
Lanier -----	-----	-----	20½	24.4
Laurens -----	500,000	15,000	22	22.7
Lee -----	80,000	-----	21	23.8
Liberty -----	-----	-----	18	27.7

COUNTY	Bonded Debt	Floating Debt	Total Tax Rate (Mills)	State's Proportion (Per Cent)
Lincoln -----	30,000	-----	27	18.5
Long -----	-----	-----	19	26.3
Lowndes -----	100,000	88,000	20½	24.4
Lumpkin -----	76,000	-----	20	25
Macon -----	190,000	-----	30	16.7
Madison -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
Marion -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
McDuffie -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
McIntosh -----	76,000	-----	27	18.5
Meriwether -----	-----	-----	22	22.7
Miller -----	-----	-----	28½	17.5
Milton -----	-----	-----	28	17.8
Mitchell -----	-----	-----	25	20
Monroe -----	-----	-----	20	25
Montgomery -----	-----	-----	30	16.7
Morgan -----	-----	-----	17½	28.5
Murray -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Muscogee -----	-----	-----	15½	32.2
Newton -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
Oconee -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Oglethorpe -----	-----	-----	17	29.4
Paulding -----	-----	-----	18	27.7
Pickens -----	-----	-----	18½	27
Pierce -----	45,000	-----	26	19.2
Pike -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Polk -----	200,000	-----	19	26.3
Pulaski -----	-----	-----	30	16.6
Putnam -----	2,000	-----	22	22.7
Quitman -----	-----	-----	25.4	19.7
Rabun -----	-----	-----	25½	19.6

COUNTY	Bonded Debt	Floating Debt	Total Tax Rate (Mills)	State's Proportion (Per Cent)
Randolph -----	-----	-----	20	25
Richmond -----	62,000	136,000	22½	22.2
Rockdale -----	-----	-----	26	19.2
Schley -----	-----	-----	16	31.2
Screven -----	-----	-----	40	12.5
Seminole -----	-----	-----	30	16.6
Spalding -----	406,000	-----	23½	21.2
Stephens -----	-----	-----	26	19.2
Stewart -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Sumter -----	224,000	-----	20	25
Talbot -----	46,000	-----	22½	22.2
Taliaferro -----	-----	-----	23	21.7
Tattnall -----	-----	-----	22½	22.2
Taylor -----	-----	-----	20	25
Telfair -----	-----	-----	22	22.7
Terrell -----	-----	-----	25	20
Thomas -----	76,000	24,000	18	27.7
Tift -----	346,000	-----	28	17.8
Toombs -----	-----	-----	24	20.8
Towns -----	-----	-----	19	26.3
Treutlen -----	-----	-----	35	14.3
Troup -----	615,000	50,000	23½	21.2
Turner -----	70,000	-----	24	20.8
Twiggs -----	-----	-----	18	---
Union -----	-----	-----	20	25
Upson -----	150,000	-----	17½	28.5
Walker -----	400,000	-----	18	27.7
Walton -----	200,000	-----	20	25
Ware -----	500,000	-----	23	21.7
Warren -----	-----	-----	25	20

COUNTY	Bonded Debt	Floating Debt	Total Tax Rate (Mills)	State's Proportion (Per Cent)
Washington -----	-----	-----	25	20
Wayne -----	200,000	-----	20	25
Webster -----	-----	-----	23.32	21.4
Wheeler -----	-----	-----	40	12.5
White -----	-----	-----	19	26.3
Whitfield -----	-----	-----	20	25
Wilcox -----	140,000	-----	27	18.5
Wilkes -----	125,000	-----	19	26.3
Wilkerson -----	-----	-----	30	16.7
Worth -----	400,000	-----	33	15.1
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	\$12,714,000	\$779,000	3715.32	21.1

CITY	Debt Bonded	Debt Floating
Adel -----	\$ 57,500	-----
Albany -----	447,000	46,000
Americus -----	289,000	55,000
Ashburn -----	67,000	7,000
Athens -----	669,000	-----
*Atlanta -----	14,400,000	-----
Augusta -----	3,175,000	200,000
Bainbridge -----	172,000	-----
Barnesville -----	130,500	11,000
Blackshear -----	56,000	-----
Blakely -----	80,000	-----
Boston -----	34,500	-----
Brunswick -----	242,000	127,000
Buford -----	35,000	1,000
Cairo -----	69,000	12,000
Calhoun -----	53,000	17,400
Canton -----	59,500	3,100
Carrollton -----	288,000	-----
Cartersville -----	172,000	-----
Cedartown -----	275,500	-----
College Park -----	48,000	-----
Columbus -----	1,628,000	-----
Commerce -----	70,000	12,000
Cordele -----	227,000	-----
Covington -----	70,000	19,921
Dalton -----	115,000	25,500
Dawson -----	114,000	-----
Decatur -----	182,000	14,000
Doerun -----	34,000	500
Douglas -----	120,000	3,000

CITY	Debt Bonded	Debt Floating
Douglasville -----	48,000	6,000
Dublin -----	382,000	-----
East Lake -----	65,000	-----
East Point -----	116,000	130,000
Eatonton -----	65,000	500
Fitzgerald -----	224,000	8,500
Forsyth -----	38,600	-----
Fort Gaines -----	46,000	-----
Fort Valley -----	77,000	2,800
Gainesville -----	235,500	-----
Grantville -----	500,000	-----
Griffin -----	286,000	-----
Hapeville -----	40,000	4,000
Hartwell -----	106,500	4,000
Hawkinsville -----	105,000	-----
Hogansville -----	43,500	1,000
Jesup -----	62,000	1,100
Kirkwood -----	140,000	15,000
LaFayette -----	59,000	5,000
LaGrange -----	915,000	-----
Lawrenceville -----	51,100	-----
Lithonia -----	35,000	3,000
Louisville -----	42,000	-----
McDonough -----	40,500	-----
McRae -----	73,000	15,600
Macon -----	1,993,000	-----
Madison -----	135,000	-----
Manchester -----	85,000	-----
Marietta -----	165,000	10,000
Milledgeville -----	172,000	-----

CITY	Debt Bonded	Debt Floating
Millen -----	51,000	-----
Monroe -----	130,000	-----
Montezuma -----	31,000	-----
Monticello -----	47,000	-----
Moultrie -----	143,000	29,000
Nashville -----	47,000	-----
Newnan -----	204,000	-----
Ocilla -----	56,000	12,000
Pelham -----	110,000	17,000
Quitman -----	22,000	-----
Reynolds -----	50,000	-----
Rockmart -----	50,000	-----
Rome -----	500,000	-----
Royston -----	70,000	-----
Sandersville -----	75,000	5,000
Savannah -----	3,524,000	220,000
Sparta -----	66,500	23,000
Statesboro -----	195,000	15,000
Swainsboro -----	125,000	-----
Sylvania -----	35,000	5,000
Sylvester -----	100,000	-----
Tallapoosa -----	67,000	-----
Tennille -----	53,000	-----
Thomaston -----	96,000	-----
Thomasville -----	285,000	-----
Tifton -----	123,000	-----
Toccoa -----	152,000	-----
Unadilla -----	49,000	-----
Valdosta -----	471,000	-----
Vidalia -----	129,000	-----

CITY	Debt Bonded	Debt Floating
Vienna -----	52,000	-----
Washington -----	116,000	-----
Waycross -----	368,000	71,000
Waynesboro -----	71,500	-----
West Point -----	77,500	50,000
Winder -----	116,000	-----
Woodbury -----	35,000	-----
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	\$37,940,000	\$1,181,200

*Atlanta's authorized bond issue of \$8,900,000 included.

THURSDAY JUNE 29, 1922.

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EXHIBIT D.

OFFICE STATE TAX COMMISSIONER

Atlanta, Georgia, June 14, 1922.

Hon. Thomas W. Hardwick, Governor,
State Capitol, Atlanta.

Dear Sir:

As requested by you on yesterday, I am furnishing you an estimate of the revenues for the present year from ad valorem taxes.

During the early part of the year I held tax conferences throughout the State and from the information furnished me in these conferences by tax officials, there will be a reduction in the value of country real estate of about ten per cent average for the whole State. There will be practically no reduction in city property, while there will be in live stock and other personal property a reduction of possibly twenty per cent. This will mean an average loss of the total digest values of about ten per cent.

This will mean an aggregate return from all of the counties of about One Billion Dollars, and the net revenues after expense of collection, will run about Four Million, Six Hundred Thousand (\$4,600,000) Dollars. The inheritance taxes for the year will probably run about the same as last year, or, around Three Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand (\$325,000) Dollars.

These being the only two classes of taxes which come immediately under the supervision of this office, I am not in position to make you an estimate of the probable revenues arising from the special taxes, fees, and taxes on fuel oils. The Comptroller-General's office could furnish you an estimate of these revenues.

Very truly yours,

H. J. FULLBRIGHT,

State Tax Commissioner.

HJF/A

Mr. Jackson of the 21st moved that the General assembly, in joint session convened, do now dissolve, and the motion prevailed.

The Senate withdrew.

Mr. Moore of Appling moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters, have had under consideration the following bills of the House, and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 563, Calhoun County.

House Bill No. 565, Schley County.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent the following report of the Mansion Leasing Committee was submitted and read:

STATE CAPITOL, ATLANTA, GA.

To The General Assembly of Georgia:

In compliance with an Act of the General Assembly of Georgia, 1921, creating a Commission to be known as the Mansion Leasing Commission, to receive proposals for, and affect the lease of the property at the corner of Peachtree and Cain streets in Atlanta, known as the Governor's Mansion, to report its acts and doings thereon to the General Assembly and for other purposes.

I have the honor as Secretary of said Commission to make the following report to-wit:

The Commission as aforesaid met in the office of the Governor on the morning of August 31st, 1921, for the purpose of perfecting an organization of said Commission and on motion, Honorable Thomas W. Hardwick Governor, was elected chairman, and Carl N. Guess Representative from DeKalb, was elected secretary.

In perfecting the organization of said commission a sub-committee was appointed therefrom consisting of the following gentlemen: Hon. Thomas W. Hardwick Governor, S. G. McLendon Secretary of State, George M. Napier Attorney General, Thomas J. Carling of Macon, Bibb County, and Carl N. Guess secretary of said Commission. The sub-committee

being given authority by the Commission as a whole, to furnish on request any and all data and particulars pertaining to the lease of said property to the newspapers of Atlanta, the State of Georgia, and out of the State should demand be made for the same, and in addition the sub-committee in their discretion were to advertise for bids through any of the newspapers of this State and out of the State, as they might deem proper, said advertisement to be on a fifty year lease of said property, and thereafter report their acts and doings to the Commission as a whole, at a meeting to be held in the office of the Governor September 8th, 1921.

During the period of time from perfecting the organization of said Commission as heretofore referred to, up to and including the date the lease of said property was awarded to the Massell Realty Company of Atlanta, the Commission met on seven (7) different occasions in the office of the Governor trying in every manner possible to get the very best results for the State.

All meetings of said Commission were held in the open for any discussion pertaining to the leasing of said property, and any other points relating thereto which would be to the interest of the State, by authority vested in the sub-committee advertisements on a fifty year lease were placed with the three daily papers of Atlanta, the New York Herald, and the Chicago Tribune, and on the final meeting of the sub-committee February 1st, 1922, The Massell Realty Company of Atlanta Georgia, having submitted the best bid, and one in which the sub-committee considered to be for the best interest

for the State was accepted, and a report of said committee to that affect was immediately made to the Commission as a whole, which report was unanimously approved.

In awarding the lease of said Mansion property to the Massell Realty Company, a bond of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000) dollars, as security bond was required to be filed in the office of the Governor, which has been complied with, and other stipulations of the contract relating to the leasing of said property is hereto attached marked exhibit "A" and made a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. HARDWICK, Governor.

Chairman Mansion Leasing Commission.

CARL N. GUESS,

Secretary Mansion Leasing Commission.

EXHIBIT "A"

State of Georgia, Fulton County.

This agreement and contract made and entered into this the first day of February, 1922, by and between the State of Georgia, party of the first part, acting through THE MANSION LEASE COMMISSION, created by Act of the General Assembly of Georgia, and duly empowered to execute this lease contract, as shown by Bill numbered 224, approved August 15th, 1921, (*see Georgia Laws, 1921, pages 194, and 195*) and Massell Realty Im-

provement Company, a corporation, party of the second part.

WITNESSETH, That said party of the first part, hereinafter called the Lessor, has leased to, and does hereby lease to the party of the second part, hereinafter called the Lessee, and that Lessee has leased from, and does hereby lease from Lessor, the property called and known as the GOVERNOR'S MANSION PROPERTY, in the City of Atlanta, said State and County, the same having the following metes and bounds: Fronting East on the West side of Peachtree Street, one hundred and forty three (143) feet; running back West along and parallel with Cain Street three hundred eighty-one and seven tenths (381.7) feet on the North side of this tract, and four hundred, and eight, and one tenth (408.1) feet on the South side thereof to Spring Street; and having a West frontage of one hundred and forty six (146) feet along the East side of said Spring Street; the same constituting the entire area in said GOVERNOR'S MANSION PROPERTY, whether containing more or less than the exact measurements just above set out, for a period of Fifty (50) years, beginning on June 1st, 1922, and expiring on May 31, 1972.

AMOUNT AND TIME OF RENTAL PAYMENTS

Lessor accepts the lease of the property as above stated and agrees to pay therefor the following amounts as annual rental, in twelve equal installments, payable monthly in advance, to the Treasurer

of the State of Georgia, on or before twelve o'clock noon, on the tenth of each and every month during the period of this lease, time being of the essence of the contract, to-wit: from June 1, 1922 to May 31, 1932, the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars per annum; from June 1, 1932, to May 31, 1942, the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars per annum: From June 1, 1942 to May 31, 1952, the sum of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars per annum; from June 1, 1952, to May 31, 1962, the sum of Thirty-five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars per annum: From June 1, 1962 to May 31, 1972, the sum of Forty-three Thousand, Five Hundred (\$43,500.00) Dollars per annum.

FIRST QUARTER'S RENT PAID IN ADVANCE.

Lessor hereby acknowledges the receipt of the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars cash in hand paid; which covers the first three months rental herein named, that is to say, for the months of June, July and August, 1922. And, in addition to the amounts which lessor shall receive for said property lessee agrees to pay during the entire term of this lease all taxes both on the lot and the improvements as they now are, or may hereafter be made, which may be lawfully assessed against said property, and all street and sidewalk improvements, curbing, white lights, sewers or any other kind of assessments which may be lawfully assessed against said property.

ALL TAXES, INSURANCE, ETC., TO BE PAID BY LESSEE.

All taxes and charges herein named shall be paid by the Lessee to the Lawful Tax Collectors, within the time required by law, in ordinary course, and without penalty thereof, except in such cases as the Lessee may contest the legality, or amount thereof, in which event, payment shall be made before levy of execution on final judgment. For all payments made by the lessee herein required to be paid to the lawful Tax, or like Collecting Officers, lessee shall at once furnish to the lessor duplicate receipts, or other satisfactory evidence of such payments. Lessee also agrees to pay the fire insurance premiums on not less than seventy-five (75) percent of the value of the buildings to be erected on said property, and to pay the premiums on a reasonable amount of liability insurance. Lessee shall at once furnish duplicate receipts, or satisfactory evidence of such payments.

AMOUNT TO BE EXPENDED FOR BUILDINGS.

Lessee is bound to expend at least the sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars in the erection of a permanent building on said property, within the first twelve months of this lease period; and is likewise bound to expend not less than the additional sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250,000.00) Dollars, within the next five years of the lease period: so that by the end of the first six years of the lease period the amount expended for a permanent building, or buildings, on said property shall

amount to not less than Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$350,000.00) Dollars.

FIRE-PROOF BUILDINGS.

All buildings on said property, whether permanent or temporary, shall be of fire proof construction, in accordance with the accepted meaning of the term "fire proof" in this State, at the time of the erection of the respective buildings, and such buildings shall be in keeping with the surroundings at the time of the erection of such buildings, and in accordance with the building requirements of the City of Atlanta, and to determine if these provisions are being complied with, the plans and specifications shall be submitted to the Governor, or other duly constituted authority.

RIGHT TO CANCEL LEASE.

Upon the failure of lessee, or of its successors or assigns to comply with the terms and stipulations contained in the two paragraphs next hereinbefore written, lessor shall have the right to cancel this lease, and take possession of the property upon thirty days written notice. Also lessor shall have the right to verify the amounts expended for said permanent improvements.

BOND FOR ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Lessee shall give a bond, of even date herewith, satisfactory to lessor, guaranteeing the expenditure of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars

during the first twelve months of this lease, as aforesaid.

ALL DAMAGES ASSUMED BY LESSEE.

Any and all damages to persons or property which may be suffered by lessee, its tenants, or its laborers, or by any person, or persons whomsoever, by reason of anything that may be done, or which may occur about the buildings, improvements, premises, sidewalks, or premises adjoining at any time during the lease period, shall be borne by the lessee, and all suits for any claims or damage arising in any manner whatsoever in connection therewith shall be defended, and judgment thereon, if any, paid by the lessee.

NO ENCUMBRANCE EFFECTIVE AGAINST LESSOR.

No mortgage or incumbrance shall be placed on any of the buildings, or improvements, to be erected on this property, except with the express understanding that the same shall be inferior to all of lessor's rights under this lease, and that such buildings and improvements shall vest unincumbered in lessor upon any breach or default under the conditions and stipulations herein, as well as upon the expiration of the lease.

NO RECEIVER OR TRUSTEE SHALL ACQUIRE INTEREST.

It is agreed that no Receiver or Trustee, in legal proceedings with which the lessee may be concerned, nor of any persons to whom lessee may transfer this

lease, shall ever have any interest or claim in or to the leased premises, or in or to this lease, or to the rents arising thereunder, unless such Receiver or Trustee is appointed at the instance of lessor to protect its interests. It is also agreed that the rights given to lessor under this lease contract are optional to it, and are cumulative to any right it may have now, or hereafter, to enforce this lease contract.

LESSEE'S RIGHT TO TAKE POSSESSION

Upon the execution of this lease contract, together with the payment of the aforesaid Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, to cover the rental for the first three months, and upon the execution and delivery to lessor of the bond guaranteeing the erection of permanent buildings during the first twelve months of this lease, as aforesaid, lessee or his assigns, shall have the right to take possession of the property, and to demolish, remove and dispose of the buildings and improvements thereon, and also to grade and excavate the ground in preparation for the erection of permanent building, or buildings to be erected thereon.

LESSOR'S RIGHT TO RE-ENTER UPON DEFAULT.

It is hereby expressly provided that, in the event lessee defaults in the payment of rents, taxes, or other assessments against said property, time being of the essence of the contract, lessor may, at its option, and upon *thirty-days* written notice cancel this lease without claim or liability for damages, and re-enter and take possession of said property.

ALL BUILDINGS TO BE KEPT IN REPAIR.

Lessee shall keep all buildings and improvements erected on this property in fair and reasonable repair at all times without cost to lessor, and is to keep such buildings and improvements insured, with loss payable to lessor and lessee jointly as their interests may appear in an amount equal to seventy-five percent of the value of such buildings and improvements. Lessee is to pay premiums on all insurance, and to deliver all policies to lessor. In the event of any of the buildings or improvements erected upon the premises herein leased shall be injured or destroyed by fire, or any other agency or cause, lessee shall begin their repair, restoration and replacement within ninety days, and the proceeds from any and all policies of insurance on said buildings shall be utilized and applied to the repair, restoration or replacement of such buildings or improvements.

ALL BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS REVERT TO LESSOR.

All buildings and improvements upon the premises, including elevators and all appurtenances thereto, and all engines, dynamos, boilers, furnaces, heating apparatus, and all such appliances used in connection with any buildings that may be erected, and any and all essential parts of any building or improvement that may be placed on the leased premises which shall be deemed and considered a part of the realty, at the expiration of the lease period, or at the time of any default which may operate to cause a

termination of the lease, as herein provided, immediately shall become the property of, and title thereto vest in lessor free from any claim of lessee, its assigns, or any person whomsoever. It is expressly agreed that any and all sub-lessees and transferees under this lease contract, shall be bound by the terms, stipulations and conditions contained herein.

In witness whereof, lessor has hereunto, by the aforesaid duly empowered MANSION LEASE COMMISSION, duly constituted according to the provisions of said Act as aforesaid, executed this lease contract, and has duly obligated the STATE OF GEORGIA, the owner of said property: And the lessee, through its proper officers, duly authorized to do so, has signed this instrument, and caused its seal to be attached thereto, the same being done in duplicate, on the day and year first above written.

Executed in presence of, who witnesss as to all of the Commissioners except Senator Pat Haralson, Julian B. McCurry and Senator Frank Manston.

R. O. HUIE,

ALBERT COLLIER,

N. P. State at Large.

As to Pat Haralson,

JOHN HARALSON,

B. B. FITE,

N. P. Union Co. Ga.

As to Julian B. McCurry,
HENRY McCURRY,
J. D. BRADWELL,
Judge City Court of Athens.

Executed in the presence of
R. O. HUIE,
ALBERT COLLIER.

Witnesses as to signature of Frank S. Manson:
T. R. GRESS,
N. P. State at Large,
Residence, Atlanta, Ga.
SEWARD M. SMITH.

THOS. W. HARDWICK,
Governor.

S. G. McLendon,
Secretary of State.
GEO. M. NAPIER,
Attorney General.

PAT HARALSON,
FRANK C. MANSON,
THOS. M. SWIFT, SR.,
J. B. DANIEL,
THOS. J. CARLING,
CARL N. GUESS,
JULIAN B. McCURRY,
C. M. MILLAM,

Constituting the MANSION
LEASE COMMISSION.

MASSELL REALTY IMPROVEMENT CO.
BY BEN. J. MASSELL,
President.

The following bills of the House, favorably reported, were read the second time:

By Mr. Cowart of Calhoun—

House Bill No. 163. A bill to change the county site from Morgan to Arlington.

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 563. A bill to change the county for the Treasurer of the County of Schley, and for other purposes.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that House Resolution No. 117 be taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that House Resolution No. 117 be referred to the Committee of the Whole House, to be reported back to the House not later than July 7th, and the motion prevailed.

The following Resolution of the House was taken from the table, read and adopted:

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Resolution No. 120. A resolution requesting certain information from the Highway Commission.

The following resolution of the House was taken from the table and read:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 127. A resolution requesting certain information from the Department of Agriculture.

By unanimous consent further consideration of the above resolution was postponed until next Wednesday Morning, July 5th, immediately following the order of unanimous consents.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committees:

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 567. A bill to be entitled an act to create a new Judicial circuit, known as DeKalb Circuit, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb:

House Bill No. 568. A bill to repeal an act, approved August 13, 1914, entitled "An Act to regulate the business of Investment Companies."

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Messrs. Valentino of Chatham and Moore of Fulton:

House Bill No. 569. A bill to amend the tax act of 1921, as to Billboards, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 570. A bill to establish a county depository in Campbell County, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 571. A bill to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Campbell County and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill. No. 572. A bill to amend an act creating a municipal court of Atlanta, by permitting clerks to administer oaths.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 573. A bill to authorize the

various counties to prescribe the fiscal year to cover a definite period, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 574. A bill to amend Article 13, Section 1, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution as to publication of amendments to the Constitution, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Whitaker of Lowndes and Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 575. A bill to change the name of the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 576. A bill to amend Section 5849 of the Code pertaining to the subpoenaing of witnesses resident in a county, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 577. A bill to require non-residents of Camden County Georgia, to procure licenses to fish in said county.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clark—

House Bill No. 578. A bill to authorize the collection of tuition by the University of Georgia and its branches.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke, and Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 579. A bill to supply a deficiency in the school funds caused by misappropriation of R. N. Berrien.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 580. A bill to build and construct certain roads in Glynn County, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 581. A bill to grant to Glynn County certain marsh lands, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Public Property.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 582. A bill to amend an act approved August 16, 1915, relative to Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in Evans Co.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Rutherford of Monroe—

House Bill No. 583. A bill to provide for the establishment of a school of Agriculture in the State, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 584. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Claxton.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 585. A bill to amend an act to define the age of female consent to sexual intercourse in the State.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Pekins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 568. A bill to amend an act to abolish Justice Courts and J. P.'s in the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 587. A bill to prohibit the levying and collection by taxing authorities in counties of certain population.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Boswell of Greene—

House Bill No. 588. A bill to amend Section 38 of the Civil Code of 1910, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 589. A bill to provide for establishing a printing plant and commission for the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Public Printing.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 590. A bill to amend an act known

as the act regulating the signing of criminal bonds in this State.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Camp of Campbell, Russell of Barrow,
Reagan of Henry and Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 591. A bill to amend an act approved August 9, 1920, relative to protection of fur-bearing animals.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway & Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 592. A bill to amend the constitution to authorize various branches to abolish fees in certain counties.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 593. A bill to amend Section 870 of the Code of Georgia of 1910, relative to charters in cities of certain population.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Moore of Fulton and DeLaPerriere of Jackson—

House Bill No. 594. A bill to provide for credit unions, to define their power, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Messrs. Bobo and Ficklen of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 595. A bill to amend and change Section 3306 of the Code of Georgia of 1910, relative to bonds for title to personal property.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 596. A bill to abolish an act entitled “An Act to establish the City Court of Hazlehurst.”

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 597. A bill to repeal an act approved August 18, 1919, entitled an act to make tax collectors in certain counties ex-Officio Sheriffs.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Hatcher of Burke—

House Bill No. 598. A bill to amend Section 1249, Vol. I, of the Code of Georgia, relative to the selection of banks.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 599. A bill to prohibit pool and billiard rooms and like places in the State and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Pilcher and McDonald of Richmond—

House Bill No. 600. A bill to amend the act approved July 25, 1921, relative to the fire department of city of Augusta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. MacIntyre and Jones of Thomas—

House Bill No. 601. A bill to amend an act creating the City Court of Thomasville.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Ricketson of Warren—

House Bill No. 602. A bill to amend an act to establish the public schools for the Town of Warrenton, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Hines and Griffin of Decatur—

House Bill No. 603. A bill to amend Section 5(a) of Article 5, and Section 3 of Art. 6, etc., of Constitution relative to State Highway of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Public Highway.

By Messrs. Swindle & DeLaPerriere of Jackson—

House Bill No. 604. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Nicholson, in Jackson County.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 605 A bill to authorize consolidation of the Independent school system, by special act.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry and Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 606. A bill to amend an act approved August 9th, 1920, relative to fur-bearing animals in the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 607. A bill to provide for the control of venereal diseases, examination, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Resolution No. 128. 606A. A resolution to appropriate money to widow of T. P. Powell, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Resolution No. 129. 606B. A resolution to pay the old class pensioners \$226,700.00, for 1922, and new pensioners \$975,000.00.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

The following resolution of the House was read, referred to the Committee on the Privileges of the Floor, reported favorably, and adopted:

House Resolution No. 130. Resolved by the Legislature of Georgia that the privileges of the floor be extended to Mrs. Virginia Clay and Mrs. Margaret Jones, the beautiful and charming wives of the President of the Senate and the Senator from the 39th.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted—

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 131. *Whereas*, it having been communicated to the Georgia Legislature that Hon. Woodrow Wilson, former president of the United States, continues to improve in health following his attack of three years ago, therefore be it

Resolved, That the said Georgia Legislature, in annual session assembled, express its gratification

and its wish and expectation that Mr. Wilson may be spared to see a full fruition of his efforts for international peace and good will.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of the Senate:

A bill to enable electors of this State who are absent from the counties of their residence on election days be allowed to vote.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted the following resolution of the Senate to-wit:

A resolution requesting that when the General Assembly adjourn today it stand adjourned until 11 o'clock Wednesday, July 5th, 1922.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 11 was withdrawn from the House.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 28 was tabled.

The following resolution of the Senate was read:

Senate Resolution No. 66. A resolution requesting that when the General Assembly adjourn today it stand adjourned until 11 o'clock Wednesday, July 5th, 1922.

Mr. Wyatt of Troupe moved that the above resolution be concurred in, and the motion prevailed.

The following bill of the House was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 39. A bill to promote the health and welfare of females employed in any establishment, by limiting the hours of their employment, providing sanitary conditions of employment, and for other purposes.

Mr. Beckham of Dougherty moved that the House do now adjourn, the motion prevailed, and the bill went over as unfinished business.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Smiley of Long, Bowden of Ware, Cowart of Calhoun, and Beckham of Dougherty.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 5, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 11 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Byrd of Crisp	Ennis
Adams of Walton	Camp	Evans
Anderson	Carr	Ficklen
Arnold	Carswell	Fletcher
Atkinson	Childs	Folsom
Baldwin	Clark of Colquitt	Fowler
Beck	Clark of Webster	Foy
Beckham	Clifton	Franks
Bentley	Coates	Gann
Bird of Taliaferro	Collier	Grant
Blalock	Collins	Gresham
Bleckley	Corbitt	Griffin
Bloodworth	Cowart	Griffith
Boatwright	Culpepper	Greene
Bobo	Daniel of Heard	Grovenstein
Boswell	Daniel of Troup	Guess
Bowden	Davis of Floyd	Gunnels
Bowen	Davis of Oglethorpe	Haddock
Boyett	DeFoor	Hamilton
Bozeman	DeLaPerriere	Harris
Braddy	Dickerson	Hatcher of Burke
Branch	Dixon	Hatcher of Muscogee
Brannen	Dobbs	Hawkins
Brantley	DuBose	Henderson
Brown of Emanuel	Dudley	Herring
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Dawson	Hillhouse
Brownlee	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Decatur
Bush	Dykes	

Hines of Sumter	Mann	Smith of Carroll
Hodges	Manning	Smith of Haralson
Holland	Mason	Smith of Meriwether
Holloway	Mayo	Steele
Horne	Miles	Stone
Houser	Mixon	Stovall
Houston	Moore of Appling	Strickland
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Fulton	Sumner of Johnson
Howard of Screven	Moye	Sumner of Wheeler
Hufstetler	Mundy	Swift
Hullender	Neal of Union	Swindle
Hunter	Nichols	Tatum
Hyman	Owen	Thompson of Coweta
Jackson	Parks	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Coweta	Parrish	Trippe
Jones of Thomas	Patten	Turner
Jones of Walker	Penland	Tyson
Johnson of Bartow	Perkins	Valentino
Johnson of Chattahoochee	Perryman	Van Landingham
	Peterson	Van Zant
Johnson of Pickens	Phillips of Jasper	Vocelle
Keith	Phillips of Telfair	Walker
Kennedy	Pickren	Wall
King of Jefferson	Pilcher	Watkins
King of Wilcox	Price	Way
Kittrell	Pruett	Webb
Knight	Quincey	Weston
Langford of Hall	Ramsey	Whitley
Lankford of Toombs	Reagan	Whitaker of Lowndes
Lewis	Reville	Whitaker of Rockdale
Logan	Ricketson	Whitworth
Luke	Riley	Williams of Harris
McClelland	Robinson	Williams of Miller
McClure	Russell	Williams of Walton
McDonald of Mitchell	Rutherford	Wimberly
McDonald of Richmond	Salmon	Winship
	Sapp	Wood
McGarity	Shettlesworth	Woodard
MacIntyre	Sibley	Worthy
McMichael	Singletary	Wyatt
Maddox	Smiley	Wynne
Malone	Smith of Bryan	Mr. Speaker

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 127 was withdrawn from the House.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the House was taken up for consideration:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 127. A resolution requesting certain information from the Department of Agriculture.

The following substitute for the above resolution was read:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

A resolution requesting certain information from the Commissioner of Agriculture and The President of the State College of Agriculture, and for other purposes.

Whereas, for several years a large number of citizens of Georgia have desired certain information regarding the Department of Agriculture and the State College of Agriculture located at Athens, such as the number of employees, the services rendered by each and the sums paid each and whereas it has been generally understood that there is a great deal of duplication in the work of the Department of Agriculture and the State College of Agriculture.

Now therefore in order to give the people the information to which they are entitled and to correct any evils which may exist as to duplication of the work as aforesaid,

Be it resolved, by the House of Representatives: That the Commissioner of Agriculture be and he is hereby requested to furnish to the House of Representatives of Georgia the following information to-wit:

1. The names and addresses of all employees of the Department of Agriculture, its branches, and sub-departments, including the department of Entomology, and all other sub-departments, who have drawn pay, from any public fund whether they were on the regular pay roll or not, or whether they devoted full or part time or not, or whether the pay came out of regular appropriations or not, together with the sum or sums drawn by each, and a statement of the duties of each, and the services performed by each. Also in addition to the salary or fees paid each a statement of the sums drawn by each as expenses whether for traveling expenses or otherwise. The above information to cover the period from June 1st, 1921, to June 1st, 1922.

2. A complete list of oil and fertilizer inspectors with their addresses the fees or salaries drawn by each for the same period.

3. The amount of appropriations to each department together with a statement of other sums received by the Department or employees from

other sources, such as fertilizer and oil inspection fees for same period.

4. A statement of the time devoted by each employee to their official duties.

5. The disposition of cotton samples and other samples received by the Department or its branches, together with statement of the disposition of the proceeds from the sale of cotton and other samples and the amount of money, if any, received from these sources.

6. Be it resolved further that the above information be submitted to the House of Representatives not later than July 8th, 1922.

Be it further resolved that three hundred copies of this resolution together with the information requested be printed for the use of the members of the General Assembly.

Be it further resolved that the President of the State College of Agriculture be requested to furnish not later than July 8th, 1922, to the House of Representatives, the names and addresses of all employees working for or under the direction of the State College of Agriculture, the duties or services performed by each, the time devoted by each to their official duties, the sums appropriated to the State College of Agriculture together with a statement of other sums received by the State College from other sources, including the sums received from the United States Government, also a statement showing the salaries or fees drawn by each

employee and their expenses and from what fund paid. All of which information to cover the period from June 1st, 1921, to June 1st, 1922.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The substitute was adopted and the resolution was adopted by substitute.

The following communication was received from Hon. Wm. A. Wright, Comptroller-General of the State of Georgia:

To the General Assembly of the State of Georgia:

I hand you herewith tabulation of all fee reports filed in the office of the Comptroller-General since my last report to the 1921 Session of the Legislature.

Respectfully,

WM. A. WRIGHT,

Comptroller-General.

EXHIBIT "A."

Fee Reports, State House Officials and Employees.

Clerk Supreme Court.

	Fees Received
Second Quarter, 1921 -----	\$ 431.45
Third Quarter, 1921 -----	83.50
Fourth Quarter, 1921 -----	444.05
First Quarter, 1922 -----	313.50

Clerk Court of Appeals.

Second Quarter, 1921 -----	\$1,247.90
Third Quarter, 1921 -----	569.65
Fourth Quarter, 1921 -----	977.20
First Quarter, 1922 -----	1,178.55

State Librarian.

Second Quarter, 1921 -----	\$ 512.00
Third Quarter, 1921 -----	440.00
Fourth Quarter, 1921 -----	434.00
First Quarter, 1922 -----	644.00

Assistant Bond Commissioner

		Paid State
Second Quarter, 1921 -----	\$ 25.50	\$.75
Third Quarter, 1921 -----		22.50
Fourth Quarter, 1921 -----	No report	
First Quarter, 1922 -----	900.00	8.75

EXHIBIT "B."**Fee Reports, Sheriffs of City Courts.****Second Quarter, 1921.**

City Court of Savannah:

Money received from all sources -----	\$1,431.05
Expenses -----	395.75

Third Quarter, 1921.

City Court of Savannah:

Received from all sources -----	\$1,380.90
Expenses -----	377.15

Fourth Quarter, 1921.

City Court of Savannah:

Received from all sources -----	\$1,410.75
Expenses -----	381.20

First Quarter, 1922.

City Court of Savannah:

Received from all sources -----	\$1,362.25
Expenses -----	376.60

EXHIBIT "C."

Fee Reports, Court Reporters and Stenographers.
No Reports Filed.

EXHIBIT "D."

Fee Reports, Judges City and County Courts.

Second Quarter, 1921.

No Reports Filed.

Third Quarter, 1921.

Judge, City Court of Columbus:
No fees or compensation except salary.

Fourth Quarter, 1921.

No Reports Filed.

First Quarter, 1922.

Judge, City Court of Columbus:
No fees or compensation except salary.

EXHIBIT "E."

County Treasurers, Commissions.
No Reports Filed.

EXHIBIT "F."

Fee Reports, Solicitors-General.

Second Quarter, 1921.

Atlanta Circuit:

Income	\$10,703.45
Expenses	3,135.75

Eastern Circuit:

Fees and compensation, including \$62.50 salary	\$ 392.50
Expenses	549.60
As prosecuting officer of City Court of Savannah received	3,003.00

Macon Circuit:

Income	\$ 1,163.58
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Toombs Circuit:	
Receipts -----	\$ 1,814.50
Disbursements -----	62.50

Third Quarter, 1921.

Atlanta Circuit:	
Income -----	\$ 3,134.31
Expenses -----	1,927.65
Eastern Circuit:	
Fees and compensation, including \$62.50 salary--	\$ 113.50
Expenses -----	545.23
As Prosecuting officer of City Court of Savannah received -----	3,175.20
Macon Circuit:	
Total -----	\$1,117.02
Tallapoosa Circuit:	
Total -----	\$ 1,655.73

Fourth Quarter, 1921

Albany Circuit:	
Total -----	\$ 2,252.00
Atlanta Circuit:	
Income -----	\$ 9,538.19
Expenses -----	4,188.73
Eastern Circuit:	
Fees and compensation, including \$62.50 salary--	\$ 227.50
Expenses -----	590.75
As prosecuting officer of City Court of Savannah received -----	2,271.00
Macon Circuit:	
Total -----	\$ 1,921.44
Tallapoosa Circuit:	
Total -----	\$2,370.73

First Quarter, 1922.

Albany Circuit:	
Total -----	\$ 1,881.20
Eastern Circuit:	
Fees and compensation, including \$62.50 salary--	\$ 696.50
Expenses -----	692.03
As prosecuting officer of City Court of Savannah received -----	2,254.00
In addition to foregoing on first of January of	

each year Chatham County pays to Solicitor-General in advance the sum of \$800.00 on account of insolvent costs in the City Court of Savannah, and the further sum of \$800.00 on account of insolvent costs in the Superior Court of Chatham County.

Pataula Circuit:

Total -----\$ 1,298.24

Tallapoosa Circuit:

Total -----\$ 1,867.91

EXHIBIT "G."

Fee Reports, Clerks City and County Courts.

Second Quarter, 1921.

City Court of Savannah:

Insolvent costs earned -----	\$ 1,591.95
Salary at \$3.00 per diem -----	231.00
Costs in civil cases -----	1,677.92
Costs in criminal cases -----	68.10
Received from registry of the Court on account of insolvent costs -----	1,182.50
Received from Chatham County account insol- vent costs -----	125.00
Total receipts -----	3,284.52
Number of men employed -----	2
Cost clerk hire and expenses -----	1,076.96

Third Quarter, 1921

City Court of Savannah:

Insolvent costs earned -----	\$ 1,566.25
Salary at \$3.00 per diem -----	237.00
Costs in civil cases -----	1,352.75
Costs in criminal cases -----	76.45
Received from registry of the court on account of insolvent costs -----	1,285.50
Received from Chatham County account insol- vent costs -----	125.00
Total receipts -----	3,076.70
Number of men employed -----	2
Cost clerk hire and expenses -----	1,154.80

Fourth Quarter, 1921.

City Court of Savannah:

Insolvent costs earned	\$ 1,315.50
Salary at \$3.00 per diem	237.00
Costs in civil cases	1,854.67
Costs in criminal cases	57.30
Received from registry of the court on account of insolvent costs	921.25
Received from Chatham County account of insolvent costs	125.00
Total receipts	3,195.22
Number of men employed	2
Cost clerk hire and expenses	1,152.73

First Quarter, 1922.

City Court of Savannah:

Insolvent costs earned	\$ 1,174.80
Salary at \$3.00 per diem	231.00
Costs in civil cases	1,606.30
Costs in criminal cases	72.45
Received from registry of the court on account of insolvent costs	903.75
Received from Chatham County account insol- vent costs	125.00
Total receipts	2,938.50
Number of men employed	2
Cost clerk hire and expenses	1,120.86

EXHIBIT "H."**Fee Reports, Solicitors City and County Courts.****Second Quarter, 1921.**

Criminal Court of Atlanta:

Income	\$ 9,150.05
Expenses	3,720.10

Baldwin County:

Total	137.24
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City Court of Polk County:

Total	696.29
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Third Quarter, 1921.

Criminal Court of Atlanta:

Income ----- 8,121.56

Expenses ----- 3,895.00

Baldwin County:

Total ----- 293.24

Fourth Quarter, 1921.

Criminal Court of Atlanta:

Income ----- \$13,504.56

Expenses ----- 4,390.08

Baldwin County:

Total, \$291.10, including Jan., 1922, the last
month of Mr. Erwin Sibley's term of office.**First Quarter, 1922.**

Criminal Court of Atlanta:

Income ----- \$12,787.31

Expenses ----- 4,435.34

City Courts of Pelham and Camilla:

Total ----- 264.50

City Court of Polk County:

Total ----- 472.53

EXHIBIT "I."**Fee Reports—Ordinaries****Second Quarter, 1921.**

Counties	Total Commissions	Insolvent or Uncollected Costs	Number Clerks Employed	Expense
Bibb -----	\$1,751.70	----	1	\$ 400.00
Chatham -----	4,108.91	----	4	1,933.00
Dawson -----	98.72	42.85	-	-----
Douglas -----	207.25	10.00	1	30.00
Fulton -----	8,165.28	----	7	4,065.00
Glynn -----	506.42	----	-	32.50
Haralson -----	296.75	130.49	1	60.00
Marion -----	230.65	----	-	-----

Third Quarter, 1921.

Bibb ----- \$1,677.55 ----- 1 \$ 325.00

Chatham -----	3,607.20	----	5	2,022.50
Dawson -----	57.75	133.25	-	-----
Douglas -----	266.25	----	1	30.00
Fulton -----	7,149.85	----	7	3,765.00
Haralson -----	197.00	288.46	1	60.00
Marion -----	234.89	----	-	-----

Fourth Quarter, 1921.

Bibb -----	\$1,851.75	----	1	\$ 650.00
Chatham -----	3,701.27	----	4	1,798.00
Calhoun -----	353.98	----	-	5.00
Dawson -----	140.20	75.50	-	-----
Douglas -----	322.50	----	1	30.00
Fulton -----	7,277.50	----	8	5,045.00
Haralson -----	317.50	198.80	1	20.00
Marion -----	370.25	----	-	-----

First Quarter, 1922.

Bibb -----	\$1,750.75	----	1	\$ 500.00
Chatham -----	4,079.07	----	4	1,417.56
Cobb -----	722.00	----	-	240.00
Dawson -----	148.00	20.00	-	-----
Douglas -----	401.25	10.00	1	30.00
Fulton -----	8,638.24	----	8	3,930.00
Haralson -----	451.71	7.84	-	20.00
Marion -----	380.90	----	-	-----

EXHIBIT "J."**Fee Reports—Clerks Superior Court.****Second Quarter, 1921.**

	Total Fees
Bleckley County:	
Number employes, one; expense -----	\$ 180.00
Insolvent or uncollected fees -----	173.00
No fees in criminal cases.	
Fees in civil cases -----	415.30
Court work -----	12.40
Recording papers -----	209.29
Total fees -----	\$ 809.99

Chatham County:

Employees, eight; expenses -----	\$ 3,281.87
Insolvent costs uncollected -----	22,834.43
Fees in criminal cases -----	151.35
Fees in civil cases -----	1,398.10
Court work -----	315.00
Recording papers -----	4,238.40

Total received ----- \$ 6,102.85

Dawson County:

Fees for services, paid -----	\$ 172.85
Fees for services, unpaid -----	49.35

Total ----- \$ 222.20

Decatur County:

Employees, two; expenses -----	\$ 466.00
Insolvent or uncollected fees -----	742.75
Fees in Criminal cases -----	1,514.65
Fees in civil cases -----	474.21
Court Work -----	151.80
Recording papers -----	587.55

Total Fees ----- \$ 2,728.21

Fulton County:

Employees, 32; expenses -----	\$13,227.50
Insolvent or uncollected -----	4,597.75
Fees in criminal cases -----	5,840.20
Fees in civil cases -----	5,418.79
Court Work -----	3,051.27
Recording papers -----	8,636.95

Total received ----- \$22,947.21

Gilmer County:

Expenses -----	\$ 5.00
Fees in criminal cases -----	16.90
Fees in civil cases -----	11.00
Court work -----	38.00
Recording papers -----	103.10

Total received ----- \$ 169.00

Glynn County:

Employees, two; expenses -----	\$ 907.50
Insolvent or uncollected -----	39.45
Fees in criminal cases -----	157.35

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Fees in civil cases -----	665.10
Court Work -----	173.35
Recording papers -----	601.10

Total received -----\$ 1,596.90

Jefferson County:

Employees, three; expenses -----	\$ 450.00
Insolvent or uncollected fees -----	445.35
Fees in criminal cases -----	291.00
Fees in civil cases -----	469.95
Court work -----	73.20
Recording papers -----	628.55

Total received -----\$ 1,462.70

Polk County:

Employees, one; expenses -----	\$ 431.08
Fees in criminal cases -----	503.98
Fees in civil cases -----	97.70
County warrants -----	56.40
Recording fees -----	664.16

Total -----\$ 1,303.24

Third Quarter, 1921.

Chatham County:

Employees eight; expenses -----	\$ 3,364.33
Insolvent costs uncollected -----	22,834.43
Fees in criminal cases -----	272.70
Fees in civil cases -----	1,185.15
Court work -----	237.00
Recording papers -----	4,210.15

Total -----\$ 5,905.00

Decatur County:

Employees two; expenses -----	\$ 450.00
Insolvent costs uncollected -----	762.70
Fees in criminal cases -----	1,369.52
Fees in civil cases -----	1,224.90
Court work -----	23.10
Recording papers -----	465.70

Total receipts -----\$ 3,083.22

Fulton County:

Employees, 38; expenses -----	\$15,786.00
Amount insolvent or uncollected -----	2,940.76

Fees in criminal cases	7,217.00
Fees in civil cases	5,679.20
Court work	2,198.70
Recording papers	10,820.05

Total receipts\$25,914.99

Gilmer County:

Fees in criminal cases	\$ 17.50
Fees in civil cases	23.50
Court work	32.60
Recording papers	137.12

Total\$ 210.72

Jefferson County:

Employes, two; expenses	\$ 360.00
Insolvent or uncollected	384.20
Fees in criminal cases	118.65
Fees in civil cases	438.85
Court work	9.90
Recording papers	383.75

Total Receipts\$ 951.15

Polk County:

Deputy clerk, 1; expenses	\$ 400.00
Fees in criminal cases	353.07
Fees in civil cases	122.68
County warrants	130.00
Recording papers	250.72

Total receipts\$ 790.80

Fourth Quarter, 1921.

Bibb County:

Employes, six; expenses	\$ 1,995.00
Insolvent or uncollected, none.	
Fees in criminal cases, none.	
Fees in civil cases	1,216.53
Court work	944.80
Recording papers	2,976.45

Total receipts\$ 5,137.78

Chatham County:

Employes, nine; expenses	\$ 3,425.46
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Insolvent cost uncollected -----	25,575.88
Total receipts -----	\$ 6,827.96
Decatur County:	
Employes, two; expenses -----	\$ 506.30
Insolvent or uncollected -----	924.90
Fees in criminal cases -----	275.60
Fees in civil cases -----	1,286.60
Court work -----	179.05
Recording papers -----	663.63
Total receipts -----	\$ 2,404.88
Fulton County:	
Employes, 37; expenses -----	\$16,388.00
Amount insolvent or uncollected -----	3,621.57
Fees in criminal cases -----	6,753.99
Fees in civil cases -----	6,358.80
Court work -----	2,910.82
Recording papers -----	11,373.55
Total received -----	\$27,397.06
Gilmer County:	
Fees in criminal cases -----	\$ 122.00
Fees in civil cases -----	99.90
Court work -----	22.20
Recording papers -----	97.80
Total -----	\$ 341.90
Jefferson County:	
Employes, two; expenses -----	\$ 360.00
Amount insolvent or uncollected -----	534.75
Fees in criminal cases -----	230.35
Fees in civil cases -----	523.20
Court work -----	67.70
Recording papers -----	347.65
Total received -----	\$ 1,168.90
Polk County:	
Deputy clerk, one; expenses -----	\$ 835.70
Criminal and civil costs -----	548.73
County warrants -----	195.10
Recording papers -----	827.58
Total received -----	\$ 1,471.41

First Quarter, 1922.

Bibb County:

Employees, six; expenses	\$ 1,920.00
Amount insolvent or uncollected	820.90
Fees in criminal cases	197.87
Fees in civil cases	1,346.74
Court work	409.30
Recording papers	2,650.15

Total received\$ 5,424.96

Chatham County:

Employees, nine; expenses	\$ 3,430.71
Amount insolvent cost uncollected	25,575.88

Total receipts\$ 5,702.01

Cobb County:

Clerk hire and expenses	\$ 1,360.00
Fees, criminal and civil cases	1,261.00
Recording papers	800.00

Total received\$ 2,061.00

Decatur County:

Employees, two; expenses	\$ 541.05
Amount insolvent or uncollected	790.10
Fees criminal cases	1,391.00
Fees civil cases	796.40
Court work	43.60
Recording papers	917.75

Total received\$ 3,161.45

Fulton County:

Employees, 37; expenses	\$17,181.93
Amount insolvent or uncollected	3,310.85
Fees in criminal cases	9,213.68
Fees in civil cases	6,606.85
Court work	2,680.09
Recording papers	11,557.40

Total received\$30,058.02

Jefferson County:

Employees, two; expenses	\$ 400.00
Amount insolvent or uncollected fees	256.25
Fees in criminal cases	17.25

Fees in civil cases	655.40
Court work	18.50
Recording papers	478.15
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Total received	\$ 1,160.30
Polk County:	
Deputy clerk, one; expenses	\$ 609.02
Fees in criminal and civil cases	829.80
Recording papers	292.25
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Total receipts	\$ 1,122.05

EXHIBIT "K."**Fee Reports—Sheriffs.****Second Quarter, 1921.**

County	Total Fees	Insolvent or Uncollected	No. Men Employed	Total Expenses	Total Net
Bibb	\$12,237.61		13	\$ 8,942.85	\$ 3,294.76
Chatham --	1,874.30	17,500	1	380.00	1,494.30
Fulton ---	30,164.08	-----	28	26,311.51	3,852.47

Third Quarter, 1921.

Bibb	\$12,126.84	-- --	13	\$ 8,591.80	\$ 3,535.04
Chatham --	1,022.20	\$18,000	1	425.00	1,499.20
Polk	1,133.37	-----	--	-----	-----

Fourth Quarter, 1921

Bibb	\$13,330.74	-----	13	\$ 9,109.25	\$ 4,221.49
Chatham --	1,711.10	\$19,000	1	310.00	1,401.10
Polk	1,009.58	-----	--	-----	-----

First Quarter, 1922.

Bibb	\$15,481.49	-----	13	\$10,752.10	\$ 4,729.39
Fulton ---	29,702.73	-----	28	28,084.91	1,617.82
Polk	1,491.67	-----	--	-----	-----

EXHIBIT "L."**Fee Reports, Tax Collectors.****Second Quarter, 1921.**

County	Total Receipts	No. Men Employed	Total Expenses	Total Net
Bibb	\$ 1,608.29	5	\$ 2,280.73	*\$ 672.44

Chatham -----	4,133.77	4	3,198.51	935.26
Fulton -----	4,450.54	7	5,827.50	*376.96
Polk -----	14.96	1	7.48	7.48

*Deficit.

Third Quarter, 1921.

Bibb -----	\$ 1,298.10	4	\$ 2,299.14	*\$ 1,001.04
Chatham -----	5,018.37	4	3,216.51	1,801.86
Fulton -----	2,402.98	12	7,750.54	*5,347.56
Polk -----	33.10	1	16.55	16.55

*Deficit.

Fourth Quarter, 1921

Bibb -----	\$ 9,735.84	5	\$ 2,910.64	\$ 6,825.20
Chatham -----	9,894.89	6	3,448.51	6,446.38
Fulton -----	31,939.89	20	11,011.64	20,928.25
Polk -----	2,624.04	1	1,312.02	1,312.02

First Quarter, 1922.

Bibb -----	\$10,823.57	6	\$ 3,031.45	\$ 7,792.12
Chatham -----	7,292.40	5	4,078.51	3,213.89
Fulton -----	10,682.18	13	8,974.98	1,707.20
Polk -----	571.16	1	285.58	285.58

EXHIBIT "M."

Fee Reports, Tax Receivers.

Second Quarter, 1921.

No Reports.

Third Quarter, 1921.

No Reports.

Fourth Quarter, 1921

Chatham County:

Commissions from public school fund -----	\$ 3,618.94
Commissions from Chatham County -----	9,326.55
Commissions from State of Georgia -----	3,983.88

Total for 1921 ----- \$16,929.37

Polk County:

Commissions from Polk County -----	\$ 1,329.30
Commissions from State of Georgia -----	779.93
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Total for 1921 -----	\$ 2,109.23
Expenses -----	400.00
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Net -----	\$ 1,709.23

First Quarter, 1922.

No Reports.

EXHIBIT "N."

Coroners, Fee Reports.

No reports for 2nd, 3rd and 4th quarters of 1921.

No reports for 1st quarter 1922.

EXHIBIT "O."

Fee Reports, County Surveyors.

No reports for 1st, 2nd, or 3rd quarters of 1921.

County Surveyor of Dawson County reports
no fees received for 1st quarter of 1922.

The following message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. Blalock:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency, the Governor, to deliver to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA:
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ATLANTA.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I beg to submit herewith for your consideration and for such action as you may deem appropriate in the premises, twelve reports, prepared by my direction and submitted to me by the firm of Griffenhagen and Associates, Governmental Engineers, upon the following subjects:

1. Auditing and Fiscal System of the State.
2. Department of Agriculture.
3. Department of Printing.
4. Department of Public Health.
5. Department of Public Welfare.
6. Training School for Boys.
7. Confederate Soldiers Home.
8. Confederate Roster Commission.
9. Department of Archives and History.
10. Academy for the Blind.
11. State Library.
12. State Library Commission.

I commend each of these reports to you for your careful consideration and, after appropriate committee reference, for such action as seems proper in the premises.

They suggest many economies, retrenchments and reforms in the public service that merit your careful and serious consideration, especially in times like these when economies and retrenchments in the public service are a vital necessity.

The suggestion made in some quarters that these reports are not worthy of consideration because the investigators were Chicago "Yankees" is both absurd and puerile: in the first place, the residence or personality of the investigators is not the important thing, the important thing is whether what they say is true or not, and whether the reforms they suggest are worth while and can be accomplished, or not. In the next place, since they do not live in Georgia, they cannot be accused of any local political prejudice.

My attention was especially attracted to this firm of engineers by their work in South Carolina, and I am attaching to this communication a letter addressed to me, dated March 15, 1922, by Governor Robert A. Cooper of the State of South Carolina, attesting to their high character and efficient service in that state. I also attach copy of letter, dated March 27, 1922, addressed to the Governor of Michigan, and furnished me, signed by Senator Christiansen of Buford, S. C., Chairman of the Joint Committee on Economy and Consolidation of

the General Assembly of South Carolina, under whose direction a large part of this work was done in South Carolina.

It is quite likely true that certain departments of government in South Carolina were not pleased with the work of these business experts and it seems quite likely true that at least one of our departments in Georgia is similarly displeased; but that is not a question of any importance. The question is whether the reforms suggested are wise and feasible and in the interest of economy and retrenchment, or not.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

July 5, 1922.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

Section 17 of the Code of 1911 (Vol. 1) prescribes the boundary lines between the States of Georgia and South Carolina.

I hand you herewith certified copy of the decree of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Georgia vs. the State of South Carolina, No. 16 original October Term, 1921.

I recommend that Section 17 of the Act above referred to be so amended as to conform to the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

July 5, 1922.

Copy of Decree was referred to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I herewith submit to you for your consideration and for such action as you deem appropriate in the premises, a report made to me under date of June 27, 1922, by a Commission of five Superior Court Judges of the State of Georgia, appointed by me, to examine into and investigate conditions at the Prison Farm of the State at Milledgeville, Georgia.

This report is accompanied by a stenographic copy of the evidence taken by the Commission in connection with this investigation, which is also submitted for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

July 5, 1922.

The report and stenographic evidence was referred to the Committee on Penitentiary.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for consideration.

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 39. A bill to promote the health and welfare of females employed in any establishment in this State.

Mr. Valentino of Chatham moved that the above bill be recommitted and the motion prevailed.

The following bills and resolutions were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committees:

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 608. A bill to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for the County of Appling.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 609. A bill to amend an Act approved July 29, 1915, creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Appling.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 610. A bill to amend Par. 1, Section 13, Art. 6 of the Constitution of Georgia, relative to salaries of Judges of the Supreme Court and Court of Appeals, and Judges of the Superior Courts.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Kittrell of Laurens—

House Bill No. 611. A bill to amend Section 1225 of the Code of Georgia of 1910 relative to making tax-collectors ex-officio sheriffs, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 612. A bill to repeal an act created in 1878, recorded in Park's Code Section 3-1240, Vol. 1, relative to consolidation of offices of tax receiver and tax collector.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 613. A bill to change the manner

and method of compensation of receiver and collector of tax returns.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Maddox of Spalding—

House Bill No. 614. A bill to provide for assisting counties in the employment of county police and provide their fees.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Fowler of Bibb—

House Bill No. 615. A bill to amend section 4381 of the Code of Georgia of 1910, relative to non-suits and dismissals.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 616. A bill to amend an act and amendatory acts incorporating the town of Whigham in Grady county.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 617. A bill to fix compensation of Jury Commissioners in counties of certain populations.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Mr. Vocolle of Camden—

House Bill No. 618. A bill to repeal Section 388 of Penal Code of 1910, relative to courts having jurisdiction in certain crimes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 619. A bill to ratify and confirm a sale by the Commissioners of Commons of Columbus, Georgia, etc.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 620. A bill to make it unlawful for any person to kill and butcher any cow, etc., except under certain circumstances.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Mr. Houston of Gwinnett—

House Bill No. 621. A bill to amend an act approved Aug. 17, 1908, amending the act incorporating the town of Norcross.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Messrs. Bentley of Fulton, Fowler of Bibb,
Winship and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 622. A bill to regulate the operation of Motor vehicles in towns and cities of certain population.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Messrs. Bentley of Fulton and McClure of Walker—

House Bill No. 623. A bill to make appropriation for the University of Georgia and Georgia School of Technology.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 624. A bill to regulate boxing contests and exhibitions by establishing State Boxing Commission.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 625. A bill to provide for the buying and selling of loose line cotton and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 626. A bill to amend an act en-

titled an act to annually levy and collect an additional tax.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 627. A bill to amend an act to establish the City Court of Claxton and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 628. A bill to amend the general appropriation Act for 1922-1923 relative to appropriation for Georgia School of Technology.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 629. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Atlanta and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Bill No. 630. A bill to change the venue in investigation by Grand Juries in certain cases.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Malone and Winship of Bibb—

House Bill No. 631. A bill to repeal an act so far as it relates to the County of Bibb, in abolishing road commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 632. A bill to make appropriations for new and old pensions, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Williams of Miller and Walker of Baker—

House Bill No. 633. A bill to amend an act approved Aug. 17, 1920, entitled "An act to license and regulate business of making loans," and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Walker of Baker—

House Bill No. 634. A bill to change the time of holding the Superior Court of Walker County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 635. A bill to amend Art. 3, Sec-

tion 4, Par. 7, of the Constitution relative to appointments by the governor.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Fletcher of Irwin—

House Bill No. 636. A bill to rearrange the Tifton Judicial Circuit of the Superior Court, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Culpepper of LaFayette and DuBose of Clarke—

House Bill No. 637. A bill to amend an Act entitled "An act known as the General Tax Act," app. August 15, 1921.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Corbitt of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 638. A bill to amend the charter of the town of Pearsons in the county of Coffee.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Griffith of Oconee—

House Bill No. 639. A bill to prescribe the rules of evidence in certain criminal cases, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Resolution No. 132. (607-A). A resolution requesting appointing of committee to investigate salaries of state officials.

Lie on Table 1 Day.

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Resolution No. 133. (607-B). A resolution requesting certain information from the State Sanitarium at Alto.

Lie on Table 1 Day.

By Mr. Watkins of Butts—

House Resolution No. 134. (607-C). A resolution relative to immediately taking up for consideration House Bill No. 6.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Messrs. Lewis and Clarke of Colquitt—

House Resolution No. 135. (607-D). A resolution providing for committee to investigate Department of Agriculture, and report to House.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture
No. 1.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 136. *Resolved*, that whereas there is now idle and magnificent property of the United States Government at Muscle Shoals, and

Whereas, it would be for the best interest of the United States and for the South that Muscle Shoals should be fully developed, and

Whereas, there continues in the South a great army of unemployed, and

Whereas, the best offer for the Shoals has been made by Mr. Henry Ford,

Now therefore, Be it resolved that the General Assembly of Georgia hereby urges the Congress of the United States to accept the offer for Muscle Shoals as made by Mr. Henry Ford, and we urge all members of Congress from Georgia to use their influence to this end.

Be it further Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to each member of Congress from Georgia.

The following bill of the Senate was read the third time and placed upon its passage.

By Mr. Jones of the 37th—

Senate Bill No. 7.—A bill to provide for a secret and private ballot at all elections held in Georgia.

Mr. Davis of Floyd moved that the House do now

adjourn; the motion prevailed, and the above bill went over as unfinished business.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Tatum of Dade.

The following communication from His Excellency, the Governor was read:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Atlanta, July 5, 1922.

To the Members of the General Assembly of Georgia:

It affords me much pleasure to extend you an invitation, in behalf of the Better Films Committee of Atlanta, to attend a moving picture exhibition in the House of Representatives this evening at eight o'clock.

One of the films to be presented is entitled, "Dixie's Mountain Majesty," which is the first showing of the recent official government tour of the National Forest Reserve in northeast Georgia.

I sincerely hope a large attendance will be present.

THOS. W. HARDWICK, Governor.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules of the House.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate Bills and Resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate Bills and uncontested general House and Senate Bills having a local application.
5. Reading Senate Bills and Resolutions the first time.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read for the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Sumner of Wheeler—

House Bill No. 640. A bill to change and fix the time for holding the Superior Court of Wheeler County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith of Carroll—

House Bill No. 641. A bill to appropriate certain sums to the Prison Commissioner for installing water system.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 642. A bill to preserve the property of the Western & Atlantic Railroad and repeal Resolution No. 31.

Referred to Committee on Western & Atlantic Railroad.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 643. A bill to amend an act approved Aug. 1915, providing for two terms of Superior Court of Tattnall Co.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 644. A bill to amend an act approved Aug. 17, 1920, relative to supply of Parks Annotated Code.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 645. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Elbert County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 602.

MOORE OF FULTON, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of the Senate to-wit:

A Bill to repeal Section 967 of Penal Code providing for criminal procedure.

The following bill of the House, favorably reported, was read for the second time:

By Mr. Ricketson of Warren—

House bill No. 602. A bill to amend an act to establish Public Schools for the town of Warren.

Referred to Committee on Education.

The following bill of the House was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

A bill to provide for the salary of the Treasurer of the County of Schley and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to Committee:

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 4. A bill relative to electors of this state voting in certain elections while absent

from the county of their residence, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By unanimous consent the following bills of the House were read the second time and recommitted:

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 608. A bill to create the Office of Roads and Revenues for county of Appling.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 609. A bill to amend an Act approved July 29, 1915, Creating board of Commissioners for County of Appling.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

The following information was transmitted to the House by the State Highway Department in response to House Resolution No. 120:

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT OF
GEORGIA

Atlanta, Ga., July 6, 1922.

Subject—Resolution No. 120, June 30, 1922.

HONORABLE W. CECIL NEILL, Speaker,

House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker:

In accordance with House Resolution No. 120 adopted by the House of Representatives, June 30, 1922 which reads:

“Resolved by the House of Representatives that the Highway Commission be requested to furnish the House of Representatives how many miles of State Aid and Federal Aid Roads in each county, also the amount of money expended in each county for the years 1920 and 1921. Whether of State Funds or Federal Funds.”

The State Highway hereby respectfully submits the information therein requested.

STATE HIGHWAY BOARD,

By JOHN N. HOLDER, Chairman,

ROBT. C. NEELY,

STANLEY S. BENNETT.

EXPENDITURES OF STATE AND FEDERAL FUNDS.

County	Mileage	1920		1921	
		State	Federal	State	Federal
Appling --	25.0	-----	-----	\$ 13,985.79	-----
Bacon --	29.4	21,196.39	4,264.96	54,103.84	9,285.80
Atkinson _	17.3	\$ 432.35	-----	140.36	-----
Baldwin _	45.6	31,252.65	-----	6,236.86 Cr	35,900.01
Banks --	26.9	3,077.39	-----	3,717.72	9,802.68
Baker ---	14.0	140.21	1,171.86	112.07	19,792.53
Bartow --	38.1	9,034.36	-----	15,188.66	5,866.63
Barrow -	25.0	33,157.10	-----	31,359.40 Cr	69,906.94
Berrien --	44.2	1,346.28	-----	2,007.40	-----

Ben Hill	13.3	51,124.80	-----	46,496.98	-----
Bibb	42.2	5,850.34	174,067.27	22,200.99	Cr 89,563.09
Brooks	45.6	8,808.49	73,837.54	4,026.77	30,264.53
Brantley	36.2	-----	-----	1,640.68	-----
Bleckley	16.6	563.88	5,628.02	337.55	1,034.60
Bryan	48.9	491.41	-----	10,267.26	-----
Bulloch	51.5	3,485.58	17,282.19	4,973.38	11,296.34
Burke	39.7	5,344.24	-----	5,942.37	-----
Butts	29.0	896.33	-----	1,113.40	-----
Campbell	16.4	1,270.00	-----	4,022.97	-----
Camden	34.5	-----	-----	3,985.31	-----
Candler	24.2	163.11	11,940.65	1,309.37	9,375.91
Calhoun	17.9	1,222.98	-----	7,234.79	23,399.48
Carroll	65.9	1,149.00	14,162.58	1,649.84	52,049.00
Catoosa	13.5	219.86	-----	4,892.96	18,973.09
Chatham	38.4	1,217.46	144,865.15	4,516.86	89,131.50
Chatooga	31.5	1,510.71	5,986.85	1,601.43	19,406.90
Chitchee	34.1	920.10	-----	388.75	-----
Cherokee	21.8	69.15	Cr 26,329.39	1,068.00	4,563.03
Charlton	18.9	41,815.00	12,204.07	1,859.89	98,841.73
Clinch	28.5	4,045.43	-----	5,037.21	-----
Clayton	30.3	16,690.51	-----	12,358.94	24,107.50
Clay	33.3	1,191.88	-----	1,413.69	-----
Clarke	25.7	3,189.96	6,035.73	2,578.79	109,839.33
Cobb	43.9	3,259.50	6,927.80	33,037.71	18,236.56
Columbia	26.6	1,589.22	4,007.92	1,602.77	Cr 10,938.24
Coffee	34.7	871.40	-----	7,851.61	-----
Cook	16.9	271.48	30,582.62	-----	72,417.38
Colquitt	43.5	10,193.11	6,792.50	1,116.09	-----
Coweta	54.8	36,763.78	2,075.78	37,943.87	65,000.00
Crisp	24.4	-----	-----	2,244.27	-----
Crawford	43.9	1,961.32	-----	.45	-----
Dade	23.0	4,129.43	4,052.46	1,073.07	72,605.56
Dawson	9.5	3,347.79	-----	450.68	24,443.00
Decatur	56.5	2,218.49	-----	3,039.91	16,734.30
DeKalb	23.9	2,551.49	-----	23,900.52	5,000.00
Dodge	34.4	671.02	-----	5,692.53	-----
Dooley	48.0	7,315.84	2,757.00	4,955.07	34,694.01
Dougherty	31.5	5,029.59	57,085.94	11,598.02	68,814.06
Douglas	23.8	1,600.36	31,546.24	3,351.84	9,914.47
Early	27.4	1,977.12	-----	1,723.84	20,065.35
Echols	18.4	1,173.23	-----	782.54	3,342.10
Effingham	32.8	1,863.34	-----	5,039.32	7,883.31
Elbert	48.1	4,750.31	-----	4,220.15	36,640.43

Emanuel -	52.3	733.07	62,339.58	11,042.25	10,342.61
Evans --	11.3	6,446.75	1,577.98	5,969.09	16,114.55
Fannin --	27.5	18,895.56	-----	23,473.89	52,421.39
Fayette -	11.5	1,034.65	-----	11,746.88	4,707.80
Floyd ---	47.8	27,396.14	36,789.84	11,475.12	97,633.84
Forsyth -	27.6	27.90	32,016.46	1,299.82 Cr	23,785.26
Franklin -	35.7	1,397.89	-----	1,776.18	8,000.00
Fulton --	34.0	2,197.03	-----	529.99 Cr	31,728.76
Gilmer ---	26.0	31,865.15	-----	17,654.11	10,373.36
Glascocock -	10.5	2,618.33	-----	16,459.28	-----
Glynn ---	53.1	14,064.96	24,548.95	37,089.87	141,915.38
Gordon	56.1	101.24 Cr	-----	4,275.19	-----
Grady ---	28.4	4,500.83	23,352.06	5,512.91	31,145.48
Green ---	46.6	865.97	-----	6,529.01	4,500.23
Gwinnett	48.0	159,072.59	22,192.41	24,423.54 Cr	117,393.19
Habersham	26.0	-----	4,703.38	8,863.91	-----
Hall ----	45.3	61,565.60	12,604.35	32,348.20 Cr	71,061.73
Hancock -	49.1	2,802.93	1,554.52	15,420.65	17,705.68
Haralson -	30.2	6,423.50	20,161.94	1,044.20	22,076.78
Harris --	20.1	808.88	8,079.29	17,910.01	35,857.08
Hart ----	22.2	530.86	-----	5,664.99	13,165.71
Henry ---	26.5	14,576.32	1,919.13	8,702.54	787.83
Heard --	19.8	41,385.15	-----	19,412.73 Cr	35,452.17
Houston -	71.6	1,294.69	-----	436.80 Cr	20,196.91
Irwin ---	32.7	2,841.26	-----	106,831.53	-----
Jackson -	40.5	3,950.36	13,260.71	3,030.36	43,719.04
Jasper --	41.3	1,545.34	-----	52.11	-----
Jefferson -	54.6	1,673.56	-----	9,544.02	16,024.53
Jeff Davis	22.3	283.71	-----	293.24	-----
Jenkins -	35.1	7,634.54	-----	2,574.48 CR	3,004.37
Jones ---	45.2	1,467.42	-----	2,191.32	-----
Johnson --	12.7	1,440.73	-----	192.82	-----
Lanier ---	17.2	-----	-----	-----	-----
Lamar ---	28.3	-----	-----	1,470.69	-----
Laurens -	77.9	2,330.83	7,323.17	3,079.37	128,800.30
Lee -----	17.9	1,164.46	3,878.25	1,024.75	17,394.34
Liberty --	42.4	1,524.20	-----	9,113.42	-----
Lincoln --	20.0	1,204.57	-----	623.14	6,391.67
Long ---	36.0	-----	-----	1,842.11	-----
Lowndes -	60.3	6,443.42	54,188.55	123.82 Cr	67,785.81
Lumpkin -	31.2	106,010.88	8,856.02	101,459.59	64,221.00
Macon -	42.3	5,027.25	34,118.07	4,217.12	19,500.87
Madison -	31.9	209.01	-----	2,119.48	-----
Meriwether	49.1	6,614.86	9,703.51	8,238.66	46,338.07

Marion	31.9	-----	-----	972.11	-----
Milton	9.0	6,374.87	1,096.68	3,607.41	21,482.17
Miller	14.3	712.67	-----	1,932.56	21,661.90
Mitchell	47.2	3,580.46	18,753.94	1,413.46 Cr	72,955.86
Monroe	36.3	4,401.41	-----	13,026.61	1,655.45
Morgan	32.4	16,565.33	56,378.61	31,513.69	64,621.39
Montgmry	19.1	3,920.96	14,618.23	3,955.49	58,034.81
Muscogee	35.2	1,292.36	-----	1,262.93	-----
Murray	21.2	4,630.55	-----	3,044.91	40,737.80
McDuffie	27.0	1,977.94	6,387.51	3,700.68	11,724.65
McIntosh	38.4	9,390.21	-----	42,369.12	45,000.00
Newton	23.9	2,096.12	-----	4,381.02	29,564.84
Oglethorpe	17.2	3,562.38	-----	7,049.09	-----
Oconee	32.3	15,040.40	9,107.21	5,199.50 Cr	7,228.89
Paudling	21.9	7,209.81	5,008.31	483.86	11,527.19
Pickens	27.6	1,256.38 Cr	-----	22,983.75	7,492.31
Pierce	20.4	16,139.55	-----	46,914.76	28,729.23
Pike	32.9	6,373.69	-----	58,838.46	29,095.92
Polk	29.7	1,870.80	-----	7,502.32	21,625.57
Putnam	55.5	-----	-----	791.83	-----
Pulaski	44.2	15,942.33	31,096.43	14,650.70	121,964.28
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Quitman	35.0	1,552.69	-----	18,094.65	14,605.78
Rabun	41.7	12,426.47	7,487.78	3,208.71	16,912.90
Rockdale	7.2	-----	-----	2,550.93	-----
Randolph	40.6	2,116.49	7,009.53	1,845.08	19,766.46
Richmond	54.0	4,798.10	2,408.90	2,508.65	30,726.22
Seminole	12.6	-----	-----	-----	-----
Schley	24.7	1,066.32	1,288.60	2,249.03	3,684.50
Screven	27.2	1,087.20	-----	1,277.50	-----
Spalding	39.8	37,895.47	89,659.54	84.54	76,021.86
Stephens	21.9	7,106.02	21,299.75	2,822.04	15,247.04
Stewart	61.4	4,610.79	-----	7,392.03	10,755.15
Sumter	55.1	1,787.32	46,818.26	1,577.80 Cr	89,718.54
Talbot	39.7	279.26	-----	1,497.08	-----
Tattnall	65.6	950.49	-----	1,370.35	11,378.94
Taylor	31.2	8,708.59	-----	6,681.43	24,592.31
Telfair	29.2	3,562.99	-----	3,883.49	8,381.43
Taliferro	11.5	1,053.76	-----	4.00	-----
Terrell	33.5	1,629.70	7,810.32	1,714.96	13,453.29
Tift	45.2	487.58	-----	4,795.00	17,280.85
Thomas	65.5	4,756.14	61,450.93	3,541.15	41,800.66
Towns	20.2	12,863.44	16,128.69	60,467.16	27,588.67
Toombs	15.4	11.04	-----	14.49	-----

Treutlen -	14.2	17.94	-----	8.93	-----
Troup --	52.1	4,870.19	69,939.26	602.67	108,696.40
Turner --	14.6	8.45	-----	2,244.27	-----
Twiggs --	26.9	3,513.65	-----	7,613.66	7,444.31
Upson --	26.7	8,698.40	-----	5,126.14	24,592.31
Union ---	45.6	20,808.34	-----	36,003.79	-----
Walker --	33.6	3,158.47	998.16	315.33	13,646.68
Walton --	36.3	22,288.30	80,739.41	3,100.21 Cr	37,199.42
Ware ----	53.7	191.04	-----	2,307.46	56,341.81
Warren -	35.4	17,152.83	-----	13,600.56	19,150.55
Washington	55.9	766.27	10,448.61	9,087.59 Cr	22,617.36
Wayne --	55.7	3,152.29	-----	2,590.65	7,481.62
Webster -	21.0	550.09	-----	10,092.62	4,591.30
White ---	25.1	133.57	-----	-----	-----
Wheeler -	43.6	294.29	20,395.42	5,131.19	67,326.06
Whitfield -	24.8	7,315.47	-----	387.99	-----
Wilkes -	50.6	3,890.38	73,506.28	55,079.28	57,096.12
Wilkinson	37.7	2,516.63	-----	5,109.14 Cr	7,469.18
Wileox --	36.6	966.62	-----	180.62	8,304.91
Worth --	52.3	17,520.08	41,455.90	24,458.15	27,396.86

By unanimous consent Senate Bill No. 57 was withdrawn from the Committee on Public Highways and recommitted to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 566 was withdrawn from the Committee on Privileges and Elections and recommitted to the Committee on Education.

Mr. McMichael of Marion gave notice that on tomorrow he would move that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of taking up for consideration House Resolution No. 117.

Under the order of unfinished business, the follow-

ing bill of the Senate was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Jones of the 37th—

Senate Bill No. 7. A bill to provide for a secret and private ballot at all elections held in this State.

The following Committee amendments were read and adopted:

By striking from line No. 7 of Section No. 1 of said bill the word “joint” and the words “Board of Registrars” and insert in lieu of the words “Board of Registrars” the word “Ordinary,” so that after amending the line No. 7 of Section 1 shall read— “duty of the Ordinary of each County at.” And the said bill is further amended by striking from Sections 3, 7, 16 and 17 the words “Board of Registrars” and the words “members of the Board of Registrars,” or by striking from any other section of this bill where these words appear, and insert in lieu thereof the word “Ordinary.”

By striking from said bill the Sections No. 18 and No. 19, and renumbering the following Sections accordingly.

By adding a new Section to be known as Section No. 19, as follows: “Any Clerk of the Superior Court, or other officer into whose custody said ballot, and other election papers may thereafter be placed, who shall look into or inspect for the purpose of ascertaining how any elector voted, or who shall give out, tell, make known, or

furnish any data, memorandum or other information concerning for whom any elector voted, or against whom any elector voted, except when required by legal process, shall be guilty of a felony and on conviction, shall be punished by confinement and labor in the Penitentiary not less than one year nor longer than two years."

By adding to said bill Section to be known as Section No. 20 as follows: "Be it further enacted that in primary elections the Executive Committees of the several counties shall have the authority to fix the time for the opening and closing of the polls in their respective counties; but the closing time must be uniform throughout the county."

By adding to Section 1, after the last line the following: "No person or persons, other than the voter himself while occupying the booth or while in the immediate act of voting, shall come within ten feet of said booth or booths while said polls are open. This Section shall not apply to any of the officers in charge of holding said election."

The following amendment to the committee amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Neill of Muscogee—

By striking therefrom the word "Felony" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Misdemeanor," and by striking therefrom the words "By confinement and labor in the penitentiary not less than one year nor longer than two years," and inserting in

lieu thereof the following: “as prescribed in section 1065 of the Penal Code of 1910.”

The following amendments to the original bill were read and adopted.

By Mr. Neill of Muscogee—

By striking from Section 1 the figures 1922 and substituting in lieu thereof the figures 1924, so as to make such bill effective from and after January 1, 1924.

By adding at the end of Section 2 thereof the following language: “All candidates for nomination for State and County offices, including members of the General Assembly, in primary elections which are called and held by any political party, shall qualify as such candidates, in accordance with the rules of the party, calling the primary not later than thirty days previous to the holding of such primary, and the committee or other party authority of such party shall not fix any other or different time limit for qualification provided however that this provision shall not apply to special primary elections to fill vacancies.”

By adding after the word “election” in the twenty-second line of said section, fixing the time for the filing of names with the Secretary of State, the following language: “except in cases where a second Primary Election is necessary the names of such candidates shall be filed with the Secretary of State just as soon as possible after the determination of the result of said Second Primary.”

By striking from Section 16 at the beginning thereof the words as follows: "Whereby the terms of this Act a joint duty is imposed upon the members of the Board of Registrars of the Counties of this State, said duty may be performed by a majority of said board of Registrars; and the."

Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 129, Nays 13.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

Mr. McClelland of DeKalb moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Walker of Baker and Fowler of Bibb.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, JULY 7, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House adjourn today that it stand adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Brannen of Bullock moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the 30 minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the rules of the House.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Second reading of House and Senate Bills and Resolutions which have been favorably reported.
4. Passage of Uncontested Local House and

Senate Bills and General House and Senate Bills having a local application.

5. First Reading of Senate Bills and Resolutions.

By Unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 74. A bill to repeal Section 967 of Penal Code of 1910, relative to criminal procedure.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Williams of the 45th—

Senate Bill No. 162. A bill to fix the time of holding the Superior Courts in various counties of Cordele Judicial Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Branch of Turner and Coates of Pulaski—

House Resolution No. 137. (669-A). A resolution to restore T. D. Davis to the Pension Rolls of the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 138. (669-B). A resolution to prevent disbanding or junking of the A. B. & A. Railroad.

Referred to Committee on W. & A. Railroad.

By Mr. Whitley of Douglas—

House Resolution No. 139. (669-C). A resolution relative to who shall serve on Committees investigating State Departments.

Referred to Committee on Rules.

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Resolution No. 140. (669-D). A resolution requiring the Prison Commission to furnish certain information to the General Assembly.

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By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 646. A bill to abolish the local school system for the town of Stapleton (formerly Spread).

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 647. A bill to amend an act approved July 23, 1920, relative to fees of Clerks of Superior Courts, etc.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Messrs. Clarks and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 648. A bill to amend an act establishing Board of Commissioners for Colquitt county.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Thompson of Dodge—

House Bill No. 649. A bill to amend Section 1, of an act relative to consolidated schools in certain counties.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of
Fulton—

House Bill No. 650. A bill relative to public sanitation in counties of certain populations.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 651. A bill to appropriate certain sums of money to Georgia School of Technology.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of
Fulton—

House Bill No. 652. A bill to authorize counties of certain populations to provide for the paupers of the county.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Gann and Dobbs of Cobb—

House Bill No. 653. A bill to amend an Act Entitled “An Act to regulate the use of motor vehicles in Georgia.”

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Messrs. McClure of Walker and Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 654. A bill to appropriate \$50,000 to the University of Georgia for Agriculture.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 655. A bill to appropriate \$150,000 for deficiency Georgia State Sanitarium for 1921.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Adams of Walton—

House Bill No. 656. A bill to decrease the membership of the Railroad Commission of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 657. A bill to amend Section 2613 of Code of 1910, relative to the railroad commission of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Branch of Turner—

House Bill No. 658. A bill to repeal an act to establish the City Court of Ashburn.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Atkinson of Chatham and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 659. A bill to provide for stenographic help for official reporters.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No 2.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 600. A bill to appropriate \$30,000 to Agricultural and Industrial School at Albany.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

House Bill No. 661. A bill to amend an act approved Aug. 18, 1919, establishing a charter for city of Sylvester.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Quincey of Coffee—

House Bill No. 662. A bill to provide for the surrender of railroad franchises in Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Messrs. Davis of Oglethorpe, Keith of Meriwether, Brown of Emanuel, and McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 663. A bill to make it unlawful for conspiring to hinder firms or corporations doing certain things.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Kittrell of Laurens—

House Bill No. 664. A bill to reduce the membership of the Railroad Commission of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Webb of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 665. A bill to require the State Veterinarian to co-operate with State Bureau of Animal Industry in suppression of Bovine tuberculosis.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 666. A bill to require Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Baldwin County to pay certain fees.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 667. A bill to decrease the membership of the Railroad Commission of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 668. A bill to amend Section 331 of Code of 1910, relative to meeting of General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Whitley of Douglas, Malone of Bibb and Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 669. A bill to amend prohibition law by providing specific punishment for violations thereof.

Referred to Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters, have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 440.

House Bill No. 587.

House Bill No. 614.

House Bill No. 573 (by substitute).

House Bill No. 570.

House Bill No. 571.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 has submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have

had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that following do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 119.

House Bill No. 10.

House Bill No. 92.

House Bill No. 99.

House Bill No. 174.

House Bill No. 175.

House Bill No. 176.

House Bill No. 177.

House Bill No. 231.

House Bill No. 521.

House Bill No. 576.

That following do pass:

House Bill No. 564 (as amended).

House Bill No. 586.

House Bill No. 618.

Respectfully submitted,

JNO. CAMP DAVIS, Chairman.

Mr. Williams of Walton County, Chairman of the Committee on Reformatories submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Reformatories have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 65.

Respectfully submitted,

E. M. WILLIAMS OF WALTON,

Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Appling County, Chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections have submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Privileges and Elections have had under consideration the following Senate Bill No. 110 of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

MOORE OF APPLING,

Chairman.

Mr. Swift of Elbert County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Property submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Property have had under consideration the following Bill of the House

and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

House Bill No. 581.

Respectfully submitted,

SWIFT of Elbert,

Chairman.

Mr. Dubose of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as follows:

House Bill No. 626. Do pass.

House Bill No. 204. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 203. Recommitted to this Committee is returned to the House with the same recommendation as formerly viz., that it do pass.

DuBOSE, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 584.

House Bill No. 580.

House Bill No. 600.

House Bill No. 604.

SMITH OF MERIWETHER,

Chairman.

Mr. Guess of DaKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 60, do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 617, do pass.

House Bill No. 621, do pass.

House Bill No. 608, do pass.

House Bill No. 609, do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

GUESS OF DEKALB,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 619.

PICKREN,

Chairman.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Bill No. 440. A bill to make it the duty of certain officers to let contracts to lowest bidders in road work.

By Mr. Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 564. A bill to provide for the electrocution of persons sentenced to death.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 570. A bill to establish a county depository in Campbell County.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 571. A bill to abolish the office of county Treasurer of Campbell county.

By Messrs. Moore & Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 573. A bill to authorize various counties to prescribe period of fiscal years

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 580. A bill to provide construction of certain roads in the county of Glynn.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 581. A bill to grant to Glynn county certain marsh lands herein prescribed.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 584. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Claxton.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 586. A bill to amend an act to abolish Justice Courts in Columbus, Muscogee County, Georgia.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 587. A bill to prohibit the levying of taxes by authorities in counties of certain populations for certain county purposes.

By Messrs. Pilcher and McDonald of Richmond—

House Bill No. 600. A bill to amend an act approved July 25, 1921, relative to fire department of city of Augusta.

By Messrs. Swindle and DeLaPerriere of Jackson—

House Bill No. 604. A bill to amend the charter of the town of Nicholson in Jackson County, Georgia.

By Mr. Maddox of Spaldwin—

House Bill No. 614. A bill to provide a fund for employing county police in certain counties of the State.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 617. A bill to fix compensation of Jury Commissioners and for other purposes.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 618. A bill to repeal Section 388

of the Penal Code of 1910, relative to jurisdiction of certain courts over certain offenses.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 619. A bill to ratify and confirm a sale by the Commissioner of Commons of City of Columbus.

By Mr. Houston of Gwinnett—

House Bill No. 621. A bill to amend an act approved Aug. 17, 1908, amending an act incorporating the city of Norcross.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 626. A bill to amend an act entitled “An Act known as the General Tax Act,” and for other purposes.

By Messrs. Wall of the 5th and David of the 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 60. A bill to amend an act entitled “An act to establish the Securities Commission.”

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Ricketson of Warren—

House Bill No. 602. A bill to amend an act to establish Public Schools for the town of Warrenton, so as to fix the terms of office of members of said Board of Education and to provide for their election

by the qualified voters of said town and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 608. A bill to create the office of Roads and Revenue of the county of Appling, provide for his election, recall and further purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 607. A bill to amend an act approved July 29, 1915, creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues, for the county of Appling, amending same by Referendum and further purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 122, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following resolution to-wit:

A Resolution inviting Hon. Wm. J. Harris to address the General Assembly, at present session.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the House do now resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of taking up for consideration House Resolution No. 117 and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 117. A resolution that the House approve the Minority Report of the State Highway Department Investigating Committee.

Under the above motion, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. Mundy of Polk as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and

through their Chairman reported progress and begged leave to sit again.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House on next Tuesday morning immediately following the period of unanimous consents for the purpose of taking up the above resolution for further consideration and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Trippe and Johnson of Bartow.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, JULY 10, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Haralson
Houser	Miles	Smith of Meriwether
Houston	Mixon	Steele
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stone
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Stovall
Hufstetler	Moye	Strickland
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Johnson
Hunter	Neal of Union	Sumner of Wheeler
Hyman	Nichols	Swift
Jackson	Owen	Swindle
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Tatum
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Walker	Patten	Thompson of Dodge
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Trippe
Johnson of	Perkins	Turner
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Tyson
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Valentino
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Landingham
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Van Zant
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Vocelle
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Walker
Kittrell	Price	Wall
Knight	Pruett	Watkins
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Way
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Webb
Lewis	Reagan	Weston
Logan	Reville	Whitley
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Lowndes
McClelland	Riley	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClure	Robinson	Whitworth
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Harris
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Miller
Richmond	Salmon	Williams of Walton
McGarity	Sapp	Wimberly
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Winship
McMichael	Sibley	Wood
Maddox	Singleary	Woodard
Malone	Smiley	Worthy
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wyatt
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Wynne
Mason		Mr. Speaker

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minute period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested Local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. Reading Senate bills and resolutions the first time.

By unanimous consent the following bills and resolutions of the House, were introduced, read for the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Vocolle of Camden—

House Bill No. 670. A bill to amend Section 5997 of Civil Code of Georgia of 1910, relative to legal fees of sheriffs.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 671. A bill vesting in the Railroad Commission of Georgia, authority over motor vehicles.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Bill No. 672. A bill to amend Section 2823 of Code of 1910 relative to publication of petitions for incorporation of charters granted by Superior Courts.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 673. A bill to extend the power and authority of the Chairman of the State Highway Department.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 674. A bill to withdraw the privilege of admission to the Georgia Bar by diploma alone.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 675. A bill to define the liability of hotel keepers for lost articles.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Pilcher, McDonald and Reville of Richmond, and Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 676. A bill to prohibit employment of firemen in cities of certain population.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Munday of Polk—

House Bill No. 677. A bill relative to authority of officers who attest the executions of deeds, etc.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. DeLaPerriere and Swindle of Jackson—

House Bill No. 678. A bill to amend Section 1, of the Act amending the Highway Department Act, approved Aug. 10, 1921.

Referred to Committee on Public Highway.

By Mr. Strickland of Brantley—

House Bill No. 679. A bill to require non-residents of Brantley county to secure licenses to fish in water thereof.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 680. A bill to amend an Act known as the Georgia Workmen Compensation Act, approved Aug. 17, 1920.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Messrs. Grannen and Parish of Bullock—

House Bill No. 681. A bill to amend Section 2 of an act approved Aug. 10, 1903, relative to city court of Statesboro.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Wall of Putnam—

House Resolution No. 141. (680-A) A resolution to investigate work of the State Board of Entomology.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture No. 1.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 142. (681-A). A resolution to provide for adjourned session of Appropriations and Ways and Means Committees.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration House Bill No. 601. To amend an Act creating "The City Court of Thomasville" and instructed me as their Chairman to report the same back to the House with a recommendation that

the same do pass. Also House Bill No. 658. To abolish City Court of Ashburn and direct me to report that the same do pass.

WALTER P. McDONALD OF RICHMOND,

Chairman.

The following bills of the House, favorably reported, were read the second time:

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 65. A bill relating to the placing out of children by persons other than parents or relatives.

By Messrs. MacIntyre and Jones of Thomas—

House Bill No. 601. A bill to amend an act creating the City Court of Thomasville.

By Mr. Branch of Turner—

House Bill No. 658. A bill to repeal an act to establish the City Court of Ashburn, Turner county.

The Following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 570. A bill to establish a County Depository in Campbell County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 571. A bill to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Campbell County and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 112, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 580. A bill relative to building and construction of certain roads in Glynn County outside corporate limits of Brunswick and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 584. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Claxton.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 586. A bill to amend an act to abolish Justice Courts and office of Justice of Peace and Notary Public Ex-officio J. P. and to create in lieu a Municipal Court in and for Columbus, Muscogee County, Georgia, and regulation of cost bills, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, No. 2.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 587. A bill to prohibit the levying or collection by the taxing authorities of any counties of this State having a certain population of any ad valorem tax in excess of 10 mills in the aggregate for county purposes, except for certain purposes, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Swindle and DeLaPerriere of Jackson—

House Bill No. 604. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Nicholson, so as to enlarge the corporate limits and change the terms of the Mayor and Councilmen, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 619. A bill to ratify and confirm a sale by the Commissioners of Commons of the City of Columbus to J. T. Cooper by deed dated October 6, 1910, of all of that tract of land designated in the survey of Commons of the City of Columbus, Georgia, as Block Number 42, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Houston of Gwinnett—

House Bill No. 621. A bill to amend an Act amending an act incorporating the town of Norcross so as to change the time of holding elections for Mayor and Councilmen and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn—

House Bill No. 581. A bill to grant to Glynn County certain marsh land and for other purposes.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding to paragraph (1) one the following: "Provided said grant herein created shall be used exclusively for highway purposes, and

Provided further that should said use herein designated be abandoned, then said property shall revert to the State."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the ayes were 110, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and concurred in:

By Messrs. Thorpe of the 2nd, Foy of the 1st, Campbell of the 34th, and others:

Senate Resolution No. 70. A resolution by the Senate, the House concurring, that Hon. Wm. J. Harris be invited to address the General Assembly.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the House was read:

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Resolution No. 104. A resolution to require the Prison Commission of Georgia to furnish

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to the General Assembly certain needed information and for other purposes.

The following amendment to the above resolution was read and adopted:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

Amend by striking July 11th and substituting July 15th as the time for submitting said information.

The resolution was adopted as amended.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 64 was withdrawn from the House.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 12 was taken from the table and placed upon the calendar.

By unanimous consent the following bills of the Senate were placed upon the table:

Senate Bill No. 16.

Senate Bill No. 17.

Senate Bill No. 30.

By unanimous consent the further reading of Senate Bills was dispensed with.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 12. A bill to harmonize the State and Federal game laws where conflicts now exist by

providing for a defense in the State Courts when the acts charged are legalized under Federal Law.

Mr. Duncan of Hall movd that the bill with all amendments and substitutes be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Whitley of Douglas—

House Bill No. 55. A bill to abolish the fees accruing to the office of Solicitor-General in criminal cases in the Tallapoosa Judicial Circuit, and in lieu thereof to prescribe a statutory salary for such office, and for other reasons.

The following substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Whitley of Douglas—

An Act to abolish the fee system now existing in the Superior Court of the Tallapoosa Judicial Circuit, as applied to the office of Solicitor-General and all fees now, heretofore or hereafter to the office of Solicitor-General, in said circuit, in so far as the same constitutes the compensation attached to said office; to provide for the payment of a salary to said Solicitor-General, in addition to the salary prescribed in Paragraph 1 of Section 13 of Article 6 of the Constitution of this State; to provide for the disposition of the fines, forfeitures and fees, including insolvent costs, accruing to the office of Solicitor-General in said judicial circuit; to impose certain duties upon the clerks of the Superior courts of the counties composing said circuit, and upon the

Solicitor-General of said circuit, in reference to the collection, payment and disposition of all funds, moneys and emoluments accruing to the office of Solicitor-General; to provide for the levy and collection of a tax by the county authorities of the various counties composing said circuit for the purpose of paying the salary of the said Solicitor-General, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, as follows :

SECTION 1. The fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of the Tallapoosa Judicial Circuit, as applied to the office of solicitor-general, and all fees now or heretofore or hereafter accruing to the office of solicitor-general in said judicial circuit, be and the same are hereby abolished, in so far as the same constitutes the compensation of said solicitor-general; but the same schedule of fees and costs, prescribed under existing laws, shall remain for the purpose of ascertaining the sum or sums to be paid into the treasuries of the counties composing said judicial circuits, as provided by Section 3 of this Act; and the solicitor-general of said judicial circuit shall hereafter be paid a salary, as hereinafter provided, in lieu of fees, as under the present system.

SEC. 2. The salary of the solicitor-general of the said Tallapoosa Judicial Circuit shall be the sum of \$3,750.00 per annum, in addition to the salary of \$250.00 per annum prescribed in Paragraph 1, Section 13 of Article 6 of the Constitution of this State;

which said salary (additional to the constitutional salary of \$250.00 per annum) shall be paid pro rata out of the general treasuries of the various counties composing said circuit; that is each county shall pay one-fourth ($\frac{1}{4}$) of said salary. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of the ordinary, county commissioners, or other authority having control of county matters, in each of said counties, to cause the part or portion of said salary, so assessed against each of said counties, to be paid to said solicitor-general quarterly, in each year, out of the funds of said counties; that is to say, on the first days of April, July, October, and January, and upon regular county warrants issued therefor; and it is further made the duty of said ordinaries, county commissioners, or other county authorities, having control of county matters, to make provisions annually, when levying taxes for expenses of courts, for the levying and collection of sufficient taxes in their respective counties, for the purpose of paying the portion of said salary chargeable against their respective counties, as hereinbefore set forth; and the power to levy taxes for such purpose is hereby delegated to said counties. Said salary of \$3,750.00 and the constitutional salary of \$250.00 shall be in full payment for all the services of said solicitor-general for all traveling and other expenses and for all sums paid out by said solicitor-general for clerical aid and legal assistants engaged or employed by him, except as provided in Section 5 of this Act.

SEC. 3. In the distribution among officers of

court of all costs, both in particular cases or matters and all insolvent costs, and all fines, forfeitures, and fees paid into the superior courts of the counties composing said judicial circuit or which may become due and payable therein, the said counties shall be subrogated to the rights and claims of the solicitor-general of said circuit, and any former solicitor-general, and shall stand in their places and stead, and shall be entitled to all funds, moneys and emoluments accruing to said office in said judicial circuit; and hereafter when orders on this insolvent fund or other judgment or finding are entered or approved in behalf of other officers of court, instead of the same being entered and approved in the name of the solicitor-general, as under the present system, the same shall be entered and approved in the name of the solicitor-general, for use and benefit of the respective counties of said circuit. All costs, both in particular cases or matter, and all insolvent costs, and all fines, forfeitures and fees, and all funds, monies, and emoluments accruing to the office of solicitor-general in said judicial circuit, under any laws heretofore or now existing or which may hereinafter be enacted, shall be collected by the clerks of the superior courts of the various counties composing said judicial circuit, and shall be paid by said clerks into the treasuries of their respective counties; all of which said sums shall be the property of said counties; that is to say, all sums collected from any and all cases or matters arising in any particular county shall be paid by said clerk into the treasury of that county, and shall become the prop-

erty of such county. Said clerks shall make written reports, under oath, of the amounts so collected, and make payment and remittance thereof to the treasurers or other custodians of county funds of said counties, within thirty days after the adjournment of each term of court held in their respective counties, and shall furnish a duplicate of said sworn statement to the ordinaries, county commissioners, or other county authorities of such counties, at the time of making such statement and remittance to said county treasurers. Said clerks of the superior courts of said counties shall keep an accurate, detailed and exact record of all fees and emoluments, including insolvent costs, earned by the said solicitor-general of said circuit, from any and all sources whatsoever, arising within their respective counties, and likewise keep a record of all sums collected by them, under the provisions of this Act, and paid by them into the treasuries of their respective counties; and their books, records and vouchers relating thereto shall be open to the inspection of the public, as other public records, and shall be the subject of investigation and inquiry by the grand juries of said counties; and shall also be audited whenever the books and records of other county officials are audited.

SEC. 4. The solicitor-general of said circuit is hereby made chargeable with the duty of justly and accurately accounting to said clerks for all fees earned and cost collected from any source whatsoever, in the various counties of said circuit; and, at

the conclusion of each term of court, he shall review and verify the books, records and vouchers of said clerks, as to all fees earned and costs collected; and it shall be his duty at all times, to exercise supervision over the collection of all said fines, fees and forfeitures, in all of the counties of said circuit, and to see that all sums of money due thereunder are faithfully collected and accurately accounted for and paid into the treasuries of said counties; and it shall be his duty to furnish his own services as attorney at law in the collection of all such sums, whenever it becomes necessary.

SEC. 5. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to affect the fees now allowed by law to solicitor-general of this State for appearance in criminal cases in the Supreme Court and Court of Appeals of this State.

SEC. 6. This Act shall not go into effect until the first day of January, 1923.

SEC. 7. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

The following amendments to the substitute were read and adopted:

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

Amend by adding to Section 2 of said bill the following: "In no event shall said Solicitor-General, at any one time, draw from or be paid as a salary out of the Treasury of any one of the counties in the Tallapoosa Judicial Circuit a greater sum or amount

than his office, under this act, has caused to be paid into said treasury during the time for which said salary is being paid.”

Amend by striking from lines 4 and 5 on page 4 the following words: “The adjournment of each term of court held in their respective counties”; and by placing in lieu thereof the following words: “Same has come into his hands.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute as amended, was agreed to. .

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 62. A bill to allow common carriers, operating and doing business in this State, to issue annual passes, to sheriffs and their lawful deputies and for other purposes.

The following Committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding at the end of Section 1, the following words: “Provided, that the term ‘Sheriffs and their lawful deputies’ as used in this Act shall mean one sheriff and one lawful deputy for each county of this state. Provided further, that when-

ever any sheriff or deputy shall travel on such free pass, such sheriff or deputy shall have no right to charge or collect, from any source, railroad fare covering such trip.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 16.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Hunter of Chatham—

House Bill No. 70. A bill to authorize common carriers to dispose of articles of freight or baggage which has been unclaimed or refused.

Mr. Duncan of Hall moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and the bill went over as unfinished business.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Langford of Hall, and Clark of Colquitt.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

TUESDAY JULY 11, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the 30 minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Second Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions which have been favorably reported.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading Senate Bills and Resolutions.
6. Report of Special Memorial Committee.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and

resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Munday of Polk—

House Bill No. 682. A bill to prohibit any person, firm or corporation from giving anything to any person to secure State, City or County trade.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 683. A bill to amend an act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads & Revenues for Jasper County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Carswell of Wilkinson & Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 684. A bill relating to a special officer for protection of common carriers.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 685. A bill to amend an Act relative to public school system of Canton, Cherokee County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Williams and Adams of Walton—

House Bill No. 686. A bill to amend an act relative to changing time of holding Superior Court of Walton County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Gresham & Hatcher of Burke—

House Bill No. 687. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Waynesboro.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 688. A bill to amend Section 416 of the Penal Code of 1910, relative to certain callings.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Bill No. 689. A bill to amend section 3176 of Code of 1910, relative to bonds to be given by surviving partners of a firm.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 690. A bill to make it a misdemeanor to write a check with the intent to defraud.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No 2.

By Mr. Clarke of Webster—

House Bill No. 691. A bill regulating manner of tax collectors settling with school authorities of school taxes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 692. A bill regulating sale of drugs in state of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Messrs. Moye of Randolph, Munday of Pork and others—

House Bill No. 693. A bill to substitute a Board of Control for the different Boards of Trustees of the University of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 694. A bill to fix the fees of coroners in the counties of the state.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Mr. Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 695. A bill to amend Section 4126 of Code of 1910 relative to responsibility for purchasing shipped goods by mistake.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Riley and Hines of Sumter—

House Bill No. 696. A bill to amend an act relative to granting corporate authority to City of Americus.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 697. A bill to amend Section 33, 34 and 35 of Charter of the city of Fitzgerald.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Brown of Emanuel and Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 698. A bill to change fees for licenses of motor vehicles and motorcycles.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 699. A bill to abolish the independent school system of the city of Lyons.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 700. A bill to abolish the office of Attorney for the Railroad Commission of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Fowler of Bibb—

House Bill No. 701. A bill empowering the Governor to appoint railroad policemen and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Williams of Miller—

House Bill No. 702. A bill to amend an act creating the charter of the city of Colquitt.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 703. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Canton.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 704. A bill to pay veterans of world war a State bonus.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. Dobbs of Cobb County, Chairman of the Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass to-wit:

House Bill No. 554.

House Bill No. 575.

DOBBS OF COBB, Chairman.

Mr. Van Landingham of Seminole County, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Banking submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Banks and Banking have had under consideration House Bills No. 598 and No. 568 and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

VAN LANDINGHAM of Seminole,

Chairman.

Mr. Ficklen of Wilkes County, Chairman of the

Committee on Insurance submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Insurance have had under consideration the following House Bill No. 561 and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

BOYCE FICKLEN, Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations has submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House, House Bill No. 616, and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass.

PICKREN OF CHARLTON, Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House, favorably reported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of
Fulton—

House Bill No. 554. A bill to authorize and empower the Trustees of Georgia School of Technology to collect tuition fees.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. DuBose of Clarke—

House Bill No. 561. A bill to amend an Act entitled “An Act to create the Department of Insurance.”

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Guess, Steele & McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 568. A bill to repeal an Act, approved Aug. 13, 1914, entitled “An act to regulate the business of Investment Companies.”

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Messrs. Whitaker of Lowndes and Woodard of Cook:

A bill to change the name of the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. Hatcher of Burke—

House Bill No. 598. A bill to amend Section 1249 of Vol. 1 of Code of 1910, relative to the Governor selecting certain banks as State Depositories.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. MacIntyre and Jones of Thomas—

House Bill No. 601. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Thomasville.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 617. A bill to fix compensation of Jury Commissioners and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Branch of Turner—

House Bill No. 658. A bill to repeal an Act to establish the City Court of Ashburn and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Pilcher and McDonald of Richmond—

House Bill No. 600. A bill to amend an Act to promote the efficiency and improve the condition of the Fire Department of the City of Augusta and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following report of the Special Memorial Committee was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Special Committee appointed to draft suitable resolutions concerning the death of certain members of this House since last session, respectfully submit the attached resolution and recommended its adoption.

We further recommend that the members of this committee be allowed five minutes on the floor of the House to pay a fitting tribute to the memory of

these men who have died, such tribute to be concluded by prayer by Malone of Bibb.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVIS OF OGLETHORPE,

MALONE OF BIBB,

BECKHAM OF DOUGHERTY.

The following resolution of the Special Memorial Committee was read and adopted by unanimous rising vote:

House Resolution No. 143:

Whereas, an all wise providence has removed from the ranks of this house since our last session the spirits of J. R. Monroe of Wilcox, Mark Tison of Worth, and N. A. Bradford of Whitfield, all of whom were well beloved and active members of this House, and

Whereas, in the passing of these excellent characters the House is inexpressibly grieved with a sense of deep loss,

Now Therefore be it Resolved by the House that we express our sympathy to the families of these departed ones and give assurance of the appreciation and high esteem in which these beloved members were held, and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and a copy sent by the Clerk to the families of the deceased.

In compliance with the report of the Special Memorial Committee the House was lead in prayer by the Hon. J. F. Malone, Representative from the County of Bibb.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 239 and House Bill No. 642 were withdrawn from the House

By unanimous consent Senate Bill No. 16 was taken from the table and recommitted to the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Hunter of Chatham—

House Bill No. 70. A bill to authorize common carriers in this State to sell articles of freight or baggage which are unclaimed or refused, and for other purposes.

The following substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Hunter of Chatham—

A bill to be entitled “An Act to authorize common carriers in this State to sell articles of freight or baggage which are unclaimed or refused or cannot be delivered for any reason and provide for the disposition of proceeds thereof, and repeal Sections 2757, 2758, 2759 and 2760 of the Code of the State of Georgia of 1910, which sections relate to the sale of unclaimed freight and disposition of the proceeds thereof, and for other purposes.”

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that any common carrier having an office or place of business in this State, and which has had in its possession for a period of sixty days after arrival at destination any article of freight, not live or perishable, or baggage which is unclaimed or refused or cannot be delivered for any reason, may after the expiration of the said sixty days, sell the same at public auction any point where in the opinion of the common carrier the best price can be obtained, provided, however, that written notice of such sale shall be mailed to the consignor or consignee not less than fifteen days before such sale shall be made, or notice of the sale shall be published once a week for two weeks in newspaper where sheriff's advertisements are published at the point of sale, and the said sale shall also be published as aforesaid at the Court House door in said County and also upon a bulletin board for that purpose in the station at said point.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted that where such freight is live freight, the same may be sold on five day's notice, the carrier to give the notice in such manner as the carrier in the exercise of good faith and with a view to making the best sale shall determine; personal notice to either consignor or consignee of such freight or notice advertised in newspaper in which sheriffs' advertisements are published, shall be deemed sufficient.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted that where such

freight is perishable freight, or freight subject to determination, the common carrier may sell the same in such manner and at such time as will best protect the interest of the carrier, the consignor and consignee, and wherever practical the consignor and consignee shall be notified of the proposed sale of such freight.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted that a record shall be kept of the articles sold under the provisions of this Act, of the name and address of purchaser and of the prices obtained for same, and the carrier shall, after deducting all charges, and expense of the advertisement and sale, pay the balance to the owner of such articles.

SEC. 5. Be it further enacted, That Section 2757 of the Code of 1910 of the State of Georgia, providing for the sale of undelivered freight after six months, That Section 2758 of said Code, providing for the sale of undelivered live freight after five days notice and undelivered perishables after twenty-four hours notice, That Section 2759 of said Code, regulating the disposition of the net proceeds of any such sale, and That Section 2760 of said Code, providing that upon compliance with the foregoing sections carrier shall be relieved of liability for safe-keeping of freight or proceeds, be and the same are, hereby repealed.

SEC. 6. Be it further enacted that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are, hereby repealed.

The following amendment to the substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Thompson of Coweta—

Amend by striking from line .12 of Section 1 the word “or” and substituting in lieu thereof the word “and”, and by striking from line 5 of Section 2 the words “either” and “or consignee.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 3.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 244 was taken from the table and placed upon the calendar.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Brownlee of Elbert—

House Resolution No. 144. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives that the privileges of the floor of the House be extended to the Hon. J. G. Childs during his stay in the city, or for the day.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House for the

purpose of continuing the discussion of House Resolution No. 117 and the motion prevailed.

Under the above motion the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Mundy of Polk as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose, and through their Chairman, reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute.

The following message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. Blalock:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency, the Governor, to deliver to the House of Representatives, a communication in writing, to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

In February, 1922, the State Board of Entomology made a contract with The Sherwin-Williams Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, to furnish to the farmers

of Georgia, through the State Board of Entomology, sufficient stocks of Calcium Arsenite to meet the demands and requirements of the farmers of Georgia, at and for the contract price of nine (9c) cents per pound, delivered in car load lots at any point in Georgia.

Since the execution of the aforesaid contract the price of Calcium Arsenite has advanced, and the State Department of Entomology is having considerable trouble in securing the performance of the contract by The Sherwin-Williams Company.

Under the distressing agricultural conditions in Georgia, this is a grave menace to our cotton crop, and it is most important that the General Assembly shall take immediate steps to give to the State Board of Entomology funds with which to secure the performance of the contract by said Sherwin-Williams Company, and to otherwise provide for Calcium Arsenite for the farmers of Georgia.

House Bill No. 377, by Mr. Williams, of Walton, has already been recommended by the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, and is now on the calendar of the House ready for passage.

I earnestly urge you to give immediate consideration to the above measure, as it is believed that its passage will greatly relieve the above situation.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

The following resolution of the House was read:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 117. A resolution that the House approve the Minority Report of the State Highway Department Investigating Committee.

The following Committee substitute was read and adopted:

Whereas, the members of the House have not read all of the evidence submitted to the Highway Committee, Therefore be it resolved, that both the majority and minority reports be filed for information of the House, and that the Committee be discharged.

On the adoption of the resolution the Ayes were 126, Nays 45, and the resolution was adopted by substitute.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE,
REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	

Holloway	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Horne	Miles	Steele
Houser	Mixon	Stone
Houston	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Howard of Screven	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hufstetler	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hullender	Neal of Union	Swift
Hunter	Nichols	Swindle
Hyman	Owen	Tatum
Jackson	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Coweta	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Thomas	Patten	Trippe
Jones of Walker	Penland	Turner
Johnson of Bartow	Perkins	Tyson
Johnson of	Perryman	Valentino
Chattahoochee	Peterson	Van Landingham
Johnson of Pickens	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Keith	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
Kennedy	Pickren	Walker
King of Jefferson	Pilcher	Wall
King of Wilcox	Price	Watkins
Kittrell	Pruett	Way
Knight	Quincey	Webb
Langford of Hall	Ramsey	Weston
Lankford of Toombs	Reagan	Whitley
Lewis	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Logan	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
Luke	Riley	Whitworth
McClelland	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McClure	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of Mitchell	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
McDonald of	Salmon	Wimberly
Richmond	Sapp	Winship
McGarity	Shettlesworth	Wood
MacIntyre	Sibley	Woodard
McMichael	Singletery	Worthy
Maddox	Smiley	Wyatt
Malone	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Mann	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Manning	Smith of Haralson	
Mason		

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate Bills having a local application.
5. Reading Senate bills and resolutions the first time.

The following resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

By Mr. Johnson of Bartow—

House Resolution No. 146. A resolution extending the priviledges of the floor of the House to Mrs. W. H. Felton.

By Mr. Johnson of Bartow—

House Resolution No. 145. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor of the House to Mrs. G. Veasey.

By Messrs. Riley of Sumter and Williams of Miller—

House Resolution No. 150. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor of the House to Dr. O. B. Bush and Judge Crawley of Waycross.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Resolution No. 147. (705-A). A resolution to amend Article 6, Section 7, Paragraph 2 of the Constitution relative to jurisdiction of justice courts in civil cases.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Resolution No. 148. (715-A). A resolution to authorize the sale of certain lands for benefit 1st. District A. & M. School.

Referred to Committee on Public Property.

By Messrs. Ficklen & Bobo of Wilkes—

House Resolution No. 151. (717-A). A resolution relative to the salaries of members of the General Assembly and other officials.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 705. A bill to control the placement of all revenues of the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland and Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 706. A bill to carry into effect an amendment to the constitution relative to additional judge of Superior Court of Stone Mountain Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Munday of Polk and McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 707. A bill to amend an act entitled “An Act to protect fur-bearing animals in the State.”

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 708. A bill to amend Section 789 of Criminal Code relative to jurisdiction of Justice Courts.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 709. A bill to amend an act of

Extra-Ordinary Session known as the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 710. A bill to require drivers of motor vehicles to stop before crossing any railroad.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 711. A bill to prevent improper practice of mid-wives in certain cases.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 712. A bill to require State banks to become members of the Federal Reserve.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Griffith of Oconee—

House Bill No. 713. A bill to amend Section 1169 of Code of 1910 relative to redemption of property sold for taxes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Bill No. 714. A bill to amend an act to create the city Court of Statesboro.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Parks of Terrell—

House Bill No. 715. A bill to amend an act establishing the City Court of Dawson.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 716. A bill to make it unlawful for Secretary of State to grant charters including in name of corporation the word "Georgia."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 717. A bill to appropriate \$29,000.00 for erection of Cold Storage plant at State Sanitarium.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following resolution of the House and have instructed me as Vice-Chairman, to report the same back to the

House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Resolution No. 124 Appropriating \$1,500.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay expenses of Tax Commission.

CULPEPPER OF FAYETTE,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 556.

House Bill No. 629.

House Bill No. 661.

Respectfully submitted,

SMITH OF MERIWETHER, Chairman.

Mr. Tatum of Dade County, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Railroads have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass.

House Bill No. 214.

TATUM OF DADE, Chairman.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters, have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 648.

House Bill No. 650.

House Bill No. 652.

House Bill No. 666.

House Bill No. 683, as amended.

House Bill No. 597.

House Bill No. 645, as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 has submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 585.

House Bill No. 675.

House Bill No. 677.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. DAVIS, Chairman.

Mr. Walter R. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 634.

House Bill No. 640.

House Bill No. 643.

House Bill No. 627 (Establish City Court Claxton).
House Bill No. 596.

WALTER R. McDONALD,
Chairman Special Judiciary.

Mr. Gresham of Burke County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Senate Bill No. 167. A Bill to establish Public School System for the town of Sparta.

House Bill No. 649. A Bill to amend Section No. 1 of an act entitled an act to aid in the establishment and maintenance of consolidated schools in each county of the State.

House Bill No. 646. A Bill to abolish the local school system in and for the town of Stapleton, formerly Spread, in said State and County, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 638. A Bill to amend the charter of the town of Pearson in Atkinson County Georgia.

GRESHAM OF BURKE, Vice-Chairman.

The following resolution of the House was introduced and read:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 149. A resolution that a joint committee from the House and Senate be appointed to make an investigation of the records, deeds, activities and operations of the State Highway Department and for other purposes.

The Speaker ordered that this resolution lie on the table at least one day.

Mr. Hamilton of Floyd moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the resolution to be referred to the Committee of the Whole House with instructions that same be reported back to the House within two days.

Under the Rules of the House the motion to submit to the Committee of the Whole House has precedence over the other motion.

On the Motion to submit the resolution to the Committee of the Whole House Mr. McMichael of Marion called for the Ayes and Nays, and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Hodges	Pickren
Anderson	Holland	Price
Beck	Horne	Ramsey
Bleckley	Houston	Reagan
Boatwright	Howard of Forsyth	Ricketson
Bobo	Howard of Screven	Riley
Boyett	Hullender	Salmon
Bozeman	Hyman	Sapp
Braddy	Jackson	Shettlesworth
Brown of Emanuel	Jones of Coweta	Singletary
Brown of Hancock	Jones of Walker	Smiley
Brownlee	Johnson of	Smith of Bryan
Byrd of Crisp	Chattahoochee	Steele
Carr	Keith	Stovall
Childs	Kennedy	Sumner of Johnson
Clark of Webster	King of Wilcox	Sumner of Wheeler
Collier	Knight	Swift
Corbitt	Langford of Hall	Swindle
Daniel of Heard	Lankford of Toombs	Tatum
Davis of Oglethorpe	Lewis	Thompson of Coweta
Duncan of Dawson	Logan	Thompson of Dodge
Duncan of Hall	Luke	Turner
Evans	McClelland	Van Landingham
Ficklen	McClure	Walker
Foy	McMichael	Wall
Grant	Miles	Watkins
Griffith	Mixon	Whitley
Harris	Moore of Appling	Whitaker of Rockdale
Hawkins	Mundy	Williams of Harris
Henderson	Parrish	Williams of Miller
Herring	Perryman	Wood
Hillhouse	Peterson	Woodard
Hines of Sumter	Phillips of Jasper	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Boswell	Coates
Arnold	Branch	Collins
Atkinson	Brantley	Cowart
Beckham	Bush	Culpepper
Bentley	Camp	Daniel of Troup
Bloodworth	Carswell	DeFoor

DeLaPerriere	McDonald of Mitchell	Rutherford
Dickerson	McDonald of	Sibley
Dobbs	Richmond	Smith of Carroll
DuBose	McGarity	Smith of Haralson
Dykes	Malone	Smith of Meriwether
Gann	Mann	Stone
Gresham	Manning	Strickland
Griffin	Mason	Trippe
Grovenstein	Mayo	Tyson
Haddock	Moye	Valentino
Hamilton	Neal of Union	Van Zant
Hatcher of Burke	Owen	Vocelle
Hines of Decatur	Parks	Way
Holloway	Penland	Webb
Hufstetler	Phillips of Telfair	Weston
Hunter	Pilcher	Williams of Walton
Jones of Thomas	Pruett	Wimberly
Johnson of Bartow	Quincey	Winship
King of Jefferson	Reville	Worthy
Kittrell	Russell	Wyatt

Those not voting were Messrs:

Baldwin	Ennis	MacIntyre
Bird of Taliaferro	Fletcher	Maddox
Blalock	Folsom	Moore of Fulton
Bowden	Fowler	Nichols
Bowen	Franks	Patten
Brannen	Greene	Perkins
Clark of Colquitt	Guess	Robinson
Clifton	Gunnels	Whitaker of Lowndes
Davis of Floyd	Hatcher of Muscogee	Whitworth
Dixon	Houser	Mr. Speaker
Dudley	Johnson of Pickens	

The roll call was verified.

On the motion to refer the resolution to the Committee of the Whole House the Ayes were 98, Nays 77, and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably re-

ported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Hunter of Chatham & Parks of Terrell—

House Resolution No. 124. (566E). A resolution providing for appropriation to pay expenses of Joint Committee to consider the tax system of Georgia.

By Mr. Hunt of the 20th—

Senate Bill No. 167. A bill to establish Public School System for Sparta.

By Messrs. Bobo & Ficklen of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 556. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Washington.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 585. A bill to amend an act to fix and define age of consent of females.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 596. A bill to abolish the city court of Hazelhurst.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 597. A bill to repeal an act to make tax collectors ex-officio Sheriffs.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 627. A bill to amend the city court of Claxton, and for other purposes.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 629. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Atlanta.

By Mr. Walker of Baker—

House Bill No. 634. A bill to change the time of holding superior court of Baker County.

By Mr. Corbitt of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 638. A bill to amend the charter of the town of Pearsons in Atkinson county.

By Mr. Sumner of Wheeler—

House Bill No. 640. A bill to change the time of holding the Superior Court of Wheeler County.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 643. A bill to provide for holding two terms a year of Superior court of Tattnall county.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 645. A bill to create a board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Elbert county.

By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 646. A bill to abolish the local school system for the town of Stapleton (formerly Spread).

By Messrs. Clarke and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 648. A bill to amend an act establishing a Board of Commissioners for Colquitt county.

By Mr. Thompson of Dodge—

House Bill No. 649. A bill to amend Section 1 of an act relative to consolidated public schools of the State.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 650. A bill to give authority to health authorities in cities of certain population.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 652. A bill to devise ways whereby counties of certain populations may provide for paupers.

By Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

House Bill No. 661. A bill to amend an act to create a charter for the city of Sylvester.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 666. A bill to require commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Baldwin county to pay certain fees.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 675. A bill to define the liability of hotel keepers in certain instances.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 677. A bill relative to the attesting of deeds and loans in this State.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 683. A bill to amend an act to create a Board of Commissioners for the county of Jasper.

The following bill of the House was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Hatcher of Burke—

House Bill No. 598. A bill to amend Sec. 1249 of Volume 1 of the Code of 1910 providing for the selection by the Governor of banks in certain cities and towns therein named as State Depositories, and the several acts amendatory thereof, so as to add the City of Waynesboro to the list of such cities.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Messrs. DeLaPerriere and Swindle of Jackson, and others—

House Resolution No 152. A resolution to provide for a Joint Commission to obtain subscriptions to place memorials to A. H. Stephens and Crawford W. Long in the Hall of Fame in the National Capitol.

The following resolution of the House was read and lost:

By Mr. Quincey of Coffee—

House Resolution No. 153. A resolution to adjourn sine die on July 27th, 1922.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The rules committee having had under consideration an order of business for today, have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report back as the special and continuing order of business to follow immediately after unfinished business, the following:

House Bill No. 328. (Limited to five minutes debate to the side).

House Bill No. 563. (Limited to fifteen minutes to the side).

House Resolution No. 4. For the purpose of a second reading and recommitted (suspension of rules for this purpose with the consent of the Fulton delegation being requested by Bibb delegation).

House Bill No. 233. (Debate limited to fifteen minutes to the side).

MUNDY OF POLK, Vice-Chairman.

The report of the Committee on Rules was agreed to and the order of business was adopted.

Under the Orders of the Day the following resolution of the House, set as a special order by the committee on Rules, was read the second time and recommitted:

By Messrs. Fowler, Winship and Malone of Bibb—

House Resolution No. 4. A resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Georgia by adding a new Article to be known as "Article Fourteen," providing for the removal of the Capitol from Atlanta to Macon.

Under the Orders of the Day the following bills of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 328. A bill to provide for the elections prescribed by Par. 1, Sec. 4, Article 8 of the Constitution.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 122, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Cowart of Calhoun—

House Bill No. 563. A bill to change the county site from Morgan to Arlington.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Speaker ordered the roll call, and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Bobo	Childs
Adams of Walton	Boswell	Clark of Webster
Anderson	Bozeman	Coates
Arnold	Braddy	Collier
Atkinson	Branch	Collins
Baldwin	Brannen	Corbitt
Beck	Brantley	Cowart
Beckham	Brown of Emanuel	Culpepper
Bentley	Brown of Hancock	Daniel of Heard
Bird of Taliaferro	Brownlee	Daniel of Troup
Blalock	Bush	Davis of Oglethorpe
Bloodworth	Byrd of Crisp	DeFoor
Boatwright	Carswell	DeLaPerriere

Dickerson	Keith	Riley
Dixon	Kennedy	Russell
Dobbs	King of Jefferson	Rutherford
DuBose	King of Wilcox	Salmon
Duncan of Dawson	Kittrell	Sapp
Duncan of Hall	Knight	Shettlesworth
Ennis	Langford of Hall	Singletary
Evans	Lankford of Toombs	Smiley
Fowler	Lewis	Smith of Carroll
Franks	Logan	Smith of Haralson
Gann	Luke	Smith of Meriwether
Grant	McClelland	Steele
Gresham	McClure	Stone
Griffin	McDonald of Mitchell	Stovall
Griffith	McGarity	Strickland
Grovenstein	McMichael	Sumner of Johnson
Guess	Maddox	Sumner of Wheeler
Gunnels	Malone	Swift
Hamilton	Mann	Swindle
Harris	Manning	Tatum
Hatcher of Muscogee	Mason	Thompson of Coweta
Hawkins	Mayo	Thompson of Dodge
Henderson	Miles	Trippe
Herring	Mixon	Turner
Hillhouse	Moore of Appling	Valentino
Hines of Decatur	Moore of Fulton	Van Landingham
Hines of Sumter	Moye	Van Zant
Hodges	Mundy	Vocelle
Holland	Neal of Union	Walker
Holloway	Parks	Wall
Houser	Parrish	Watkins
Houston	Penland	Way
Howard of Forsyth	Perryman	Webb
Howard of Screven	Peterson	Weston
Hufstetler	Phillips of Jasper	Whitaker of Rockdale
Hullender	Pickren	Whitworth
Hunter	Pilcher	Williams of Miller
Hyman	Price	Williams of Walton
Jackson	Pruett	Wimberly
Jones of Coweta	Quincey	Woodard
Jones of Thomas	Ramsey	Wyatt
Jones of Walker	Reagan	Wynne
Johnson of	Reville	
Chattahoochee	Ricketson	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Bleckley	Folsom	Patten
Bowden	Foy	Perkins
Bowen	Greene	Phillips of Telfair
Boyett	Haddock	Robinson
Camp	Hatcher of Burke	Sibley
Carr	Horne	Smith of Bryan
Clark of Colquitt	Johnson of Bartow	Tyson
Clifton	Johnson of Pickens	Whitley
Davis of Floyd	McDonald of	Whitaker of Lowndes
Dudley	Richmond	Williams of Harris
Dykes	MacIntyre	Winship
Ficklen	Nichols	Wood
Fletcher	Owen	Worthy
		Mr. Speaker

Ayes 168, Nays 0.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 168, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite Constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes and Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 233. A bill to appropriate \$65,000.00 to the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta for finishing dormitory on its campus and for other purposes.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. Lankford of Toombs as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman, reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill be tabled.

On the tabling of the bill Mr. Davis of Oglethorpe called for the Ayes and Nays.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and the bill went over as unfinished business.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

THURSDAY, JULY 13, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 709 was withdrawn from the Committee on Public Highways and recommitted to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By unanimous consent Senate Bill No. 32 was withdrawn from the House.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, read the second time, and re-committed to the Committee on Game and Fish:

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 577. A bill relative to non-residents of Camden County fishing in said county.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 451 was withdrawn from the House.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 636 was

withdrawn from the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Special Judiciary.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of substitute and amendments to House Bill No. 260 were ordered to be printed for the use of the House and Senate.

By unanimous consent Mr. Davis of Oglethorpe was allowed to cast his vote at this time on House Bill No. 233 and House Resolution No. 149 and retire. He voted Aye on both the bill and the resolution.

By unanimous consent Mr. Williams of Harris was granted leave of absence.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of new matter under the rules.
2. Reports of standing committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. Reading Senate bills and resolutions the first time.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and

resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 718. A bill to appropriate certain sums to Georgia Training School for Mental Defectives.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 719. A bill to provide for occupation tax on distributors of oils and greases.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 720. A bill to amend Section 3353 of Code of 1910, relative to the lien law of Georgia.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 721. A bill to amend an Act relative to bonds to be given by employment agencies.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 722. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Augusta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Woodard of Cook, Bowden of Tift, and others—

House Bill No. 723. A bill to make provisions for experimental work at Coastal Plain Experiment Station relative to diseases of fruits.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Johnson of Chattahoochee—

House Bill No. 724. A bill to amend Article 11, Section 3, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution relative to consolidation of offices of Clerk and Ordinary.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 725. A bill to create Bond Commissioners for Ware County.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 726. A bill to amend the Act known

as the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act, relative to subrogation.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Mr. Grant of Habersham—

House Bill No. 727. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Clarkesville.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 728. A bill to provide for the return for taxation of mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Atkinson of Chatham—

House Bill No. 729. A bill to regulate the practice of professional engineering and surveying.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Strickland of Brantley—

House Bill No. 730. A bill to amend an Act establishing the Juvenile Court, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Reformatories.

By Messrs. Riley and Hines of Sumter—

House Bill No. 731. A bill to amend an Act entitled

an Act to protect the fur-bearing animals of the State.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 732. A bill to appropriate certain sums to Third District Agricultural School.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 733. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Elbert in Elbert County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Mason of Hart:

House Bill No. 734. A bill to establish free libraries in all counties of the State, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Public Libraries.

By Mr. Fowler of Bibb—

House Bill No. 735. A bill to place Elliott Hicks on the pension roll.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Green of Jones—

House Bill No. 736. A bill to regulate arrests and fixing of bail in criminal cases.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Green of Jones—

House Bill No. 737. A bill to regulate the trials in criminal cases, and for other purposes.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 738. A bill to amend Article 7, Section 12, Paragraph 1, of Constitution, relative to construction of grain elevators, etc.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Resolution No. 154. A resolution to appropriate certain sums to pay interest on the public debt.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Hamilton of Floyd and others—

House Resolution No. 155 (737A). A resolution providing for sending delegation from Georgia to American Independence Exposition.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Resolution No. 156 (737B). A resolution to elect members of Board of Commissioners of Jasper County by popular vote.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Byrd of Taliaferro—

House Resolution No. 158 (737D). A resolution requesting appointment of committee to draft bill relative to luxury tax.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 739. A bill to regulate motion picture films, and create a Board of Censors, etc.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Resolution No. 159 (737E). A resolution providing for appointment of committee to suggest legislation for sale of inferior seed.

Referred to General Agricultural Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Resolution No. 160 (737F). A resolution to make appropriation for defraying expenses of Mansion Leasing Committee.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Resolution No. 161 (737G). A resolution relative to investigating accounting system of State Highway Commission.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. DeFoor of Clayton, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 2 beg to recommend that House Bill No. 625 do pass.

DEFOOR of Clayton,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 582, as amended.

House Bill No. 697.

House Bill No. 715.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. W. E. Boatwright of Emanuel County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Printing, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Printing have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 589.

MR. BOATWRIGHT, Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 213, to amend Paragraphs 1 and 2, Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution of Georgia, to provide for the election of members of the General Assembly quadrennially, etc.

House Bill No. 572. To amend an Act creating a Municipal Court of Atlanta, etc.

House Bill No. 550. To amend Paragraph 1, Section 7, Article 6, of the Constitution.

LANKFORD of Toombs, Chairman.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the following recommendation:

House Bill No. 630 do pass as amended.

GUESS of DeKalb, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following House resolution:

A resolution urging members of Congress from Georgia to use their influence to secure Muscle Shoals for Henry Ford.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Moye of Randolph and Quincey of Coffee—

House Bill No. 213. A bill to amend Paragraphs 1 and 2, Section 4, Article 3, of the Constitution, relative to quadrennial election of members of General Assembly.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn:

House Bill No. 550. A bill to amend Paragraph 1, Section 7, Article 6, of the Constitution, relative to cities of certain populations.

By Messrs. Holloway, Moore & Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 572. A bill to amend an Act creating a Municipal Court for the City of Atlanta.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 582. A bill to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners for the County of Evans.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 589. A bill to provide for establishment of printing plant for the State.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 625. A bill to provide for buying and selling of loose lint cotton in this State.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Bill No. 630. A bill to provide for the change of venue in certain cases, and for other purposes.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 697. A bill to amend Sections 33, 34 and 35 of the charter of the City of Fitzgerald.

By Mr. Parks of Terrell—

House Bill No. 715. A bill to amend the charter of the City Court of Dawson.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Bobo and Ficklen of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 556. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Washington, Ga., so as to extend the limits of said city.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 597. A bill to repeal an Act making Tax Collectors of counties of certain population ex-officio Sheriffs for said counties, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 113, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Sumner of Wheeler—

House Bill No. 640. A bill to change and fix the time for holding the Superior Courts of Wheeler County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 643. A bill to amend an Act to provide for holding two terms a year of Tattnall Superior Court, to prescribe the time for holding same, and changing term from the first Monday in January and July to third Monday in April and October, each year, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 119, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Harris and King—

House Bill No. 646. A bill to abolish the local school system in and for the town of Stapleton (formerly Spread) in said State and county, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 121, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Clark and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 648. A bill to amend an Act estab-

lishing a Board of Commissioners of Colquitt County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 122, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 666. A bill to require Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Baldwin County to pay to the officers of court and to justices of peace and notaries public, ex-officio justices of peace, their fees, as provided by law, in criminal cases, where the defendants are sentenced to the chaingang in said county.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 645. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Elbert County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Corbett of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 638. A bill to amend the charter of the town of Pearson, in Atkinson County.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Walker of Baker—

House Bill No. 634. A bill to change the time of holding the Superior Court of Baker County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 596. A bill to abolish an Act to establish the City Court of Hazlehurst, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 114, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

House Bill No. 661. A bill to amend an Act creating a charter for the City of Sylvester, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 123, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 627. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Claxton, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 112, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 683. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Jasper, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 124, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Hunt of 20th—

Senate Bill No. 167. A bill to establish Public School system for Sparta.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 126, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following resolution of Senate, to-wit:

A resolution relative to the Capitol Removal Bill.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes and Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 233. A bill to appropriate \$65,000 to the South Georgia State Normal School at Valdosta, and for other purposes.

The call for the Ayes and Nays on the motion of yesterday to table the bill was not sustained.

The motion of yesterday that the bill be tabled was lost.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved the previous question; the call was sustained, and the main question was ordered.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill be tabled and the motion was lost.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered, and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Guess	Owen
Adams of Walton	Hamilton	Parks
Arnold	Harris	Parrish
Atkinson	Hatcher of Burke	Penland
Beck	Henderson	Perryman
Bird of Taliaferro	Herring	Peterson
Bleckley	Hines of Sumter	Phillips of Jasper
Boatwright	Holloway	Pickren
Boswell	Horne	Pilcher
Bowden	Houser	Pruett
Bowen	Howard of Screven	Reville
Bozeman	Hufstetler	Riley
Braddy	Hunter	Russell
Branch	Jackson	Sibley
Brannen	Jones of Thomas	Singletary
Brantley	Johnson of Bartow	Smiley
Brown of Emanuel	Johnson of	Smith of Bryan
Brown of Hancock	Chattahoochee	Smith of Carroll
Bush	King of Jefferson	Smith of Haralson
Camp	King of Wilcox	Stone
Carr	Knight	Strickland
Carswell	Lankford of Toombs	Sumner of Wheeler
Clark of Webster	Lewis	Trippe
Clifton	Luke	Turner
Coates	McClure	Tyson
Corbitt	McDonald of Mitchell	Valentino
Daniel of Heard	McDonald of	Van Landingham
Davis of Oglethorpe	Richmond	Van Zant
Dickerson	MacIntyre	Vocelle
DuBose	McMichael	Wall
Dykes	Malone	Way
Ennis	Mason	Webb
Evans	Mayo	Weston
Fowler	Miles	Williams of Walton
Franks	Moore of Fulton	Winship
Gresham	Mundy	Woodard
Griffin	Neal of Union	Wynne
Griffith		

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Anderson	Hines of Decatur	Ramsey
Bobo	Holland	Reagan
Boyett	Houston	Ricketson
Brownlee	Howard of Forsyth	Rutherford
Childs	Hullender	Salmon
Collier	Hyman	Sapp
Collins	Jones of Coweta	Shettlesworth
Daniel of Troup	Jones of Walker	Smith of Meriwether
DeFoor	Keith	Stovall
Duncan of Dawson	Kennedy	Sumner of Johnson
Duncan of Hall	Kittrell	Swift
Ficklen	Langford of Hall	Swindle
Foy	Logan	Tatum
Gann	McClelland	Thompson of Coweta
Grant	McGarity	Thompson of Dodge
Greene	Maddox	Watkins
Grovenstein	Manning	Whitaker of Rockdale
Gunnels	Mixon	Whitworth
Haddock	Moore of Appling	Williams of Miller
Hatcher of Muscogee	Moye	Wimberly
Hawkins	Price	Wood
Hillhouse	Quincey	Wyatt

Those not voting were Messrs:

Baldwin	Dixon	Phillips of Telfair
Beckham	Dobbs	Robinson
Bentley	Dudley	Steele
Blalock	Fletcher	Walker
Bloodworth	Folsom	Whitley
Byrd of Crisp	Hodges	Whitaker of Lowndes
Clark of Colquitt	Johnson of Pickens	Williams of Harris
Cowart	Mann	Worthy
Culpepper	Nichols	Mr. Speaker
Davis of Floyd	Patten	
DeLaPerriere	Perkins	

Ayes 110, Nays 66.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110, Nays 66.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Williams of Walton moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Reville and McDonald of Richmond, Houser of Houston, Blalock of Ware, Ficklen of Wilkes, and Luke of Ben Hill.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

FRIDAY, JULY 14, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 631 was withdrawn from the House.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 163. (748A). A resolution for the relief of J. T. Jones as a surety on a bond.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 740. A bill to authorize the Governor to sell State lands.

Referred to Committee on Public Property.

By Messrs. Gann and Dobbs of Cobb—

House Bill No. 741. A bill to appropriate certain sums to the Confederate Soldiers Cemetery at Marietta, Ga.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 742. A bill to amend Art. 7, Sec. 1, Par. 2 of the constitution relative to income taxes.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Henderson of White, Knight of Berrien, and others—

House Bill No. 743. A bill to levy a special tax on all soft drinks and near beers.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 744. A bill to make it a violation of the law to draw a check without sufficient funds to cover.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Horne of Dodge and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 745. A bill to amend the several acts relating to government of Confederate Soldiers' Home.

Referred to Committee of the Whole House.

By Mr. Dixon of Jenkins—

House Bill No. 746. A bill to amend act establishing a Board of Commissioners for Jenkins County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. DeFoor of Clayton—

House Bill No. 747. A bill to repeal an act to incorporate the City of Rex in Clayton County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Neill of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 748. A bill to amend Par. 3, Sec. 1, Art. 2 of the Constitution relative to poll taxes in Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Childs of Upson, Wimberly of Laurens, and Whitley of Douglas—

A bill to repeal a system of tax equalization now in force in Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 559.

House Bill No. 706.

House bill No. 714.

House Bill No. 681.

House Bill No. 686.

Senate Bill No. 151.

Senate Bill No. 155.

WALTER R. McDONALD, Chairman.

Mr. Williams of Walton County, Chairman of the Committee on Reformatories submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Reformatories have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 730.

WILLIAMS OF WALTON, Chairman.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bill and resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Resolution No. 154. Do pass.

House Bill No. 655. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 54. Do not pass.

CULPEPPER OF FAYETTE,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 703.

House Bill No. 696.

House Bill No. 425.

House Bill No. 676, as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

SMITH OF MERIWETHER, Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bills of the House and

have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 691.

House Bill No. 699.

House Bill No. 566.

House Bill No. 685.

MOORE of Fulton,

Chairman.

Mr. Beck of Carroll County, Chairman of the Committee on Temperance submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Temperance have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute:

House Bill No. 553.

BECK of Carroll,

Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Resolution No. 156, (Jasper County).

Author of House Bill No. 631, requested return of bill back to House, for purpose of withdrawing same and is returned herewith for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE,

Chairman.

Mr. Hatcher of Muscogee County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 57. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 620. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 659. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 647. Do pass by substitute.

Respectfully submitted,

HATCHER of Muscogee,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden County, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fish submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendations as follows:

House Bill No. 577. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 679. Do pass.

House Bill No. 707. Do not pass.

JAMES T. VOCELLE,

Chairman.

Mr. Gunnels of Franklin County, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics have had under consideration the following bills of

the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 726.

House Bill No. 680.

GUNNELLS of Franklin,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

House Bill No. 687.

PICKREN of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Kittrell of Laurens County, Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 1 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 1, have had under consideration the following Bill and

Resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Resolution No. 141. Do pass.

House Bill No. 528. Do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

KITTRELL of Laurens,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. West of Fannin—

House Bill No. 425. A bill to create a new charter for the Town of Fry, Fannin County.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 553. A bill to provide for Temperance Day in the public schools of the state.

By Messrs. Boatwright and Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 559. A bill to change the terms of the City Court of Swainsboro.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 566. A bill to provide for the

opening and closing of polls in certain counties for School Bond Elections.

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 647. A bill to amend an act to fix the fees of the Clerks of Superior Courts in certain counties.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 655. A bill to appropriate \$150,000.00 to Georgia State Sanitarium.

By Messrs. Pilcher, Reville and McDonald of Richmond, and Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 676. A bill to prohibit the employment of firemen in towns of certain population.

By Mr. Strickland of Brantley—

House Bill No. 679. A bill to require non-residents of Brantley County to secure licenses to fish in said county.

By Mr. Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 680. A bill to amend an act known as the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Bill No. 681. A bill to amend Sec. 2 of an Act creating a City Court for Statesboro.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 685. A bill to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act amending the Act establishing public schools for the Town of Canton.

By Messrs. Williams and Adams of Walton—

House Bill No. 686. A bill to amend an act to change the time of holding the Superior Court of Walton County.

By Messrs. Gresham and Hatcher of Burke—

House Bill No. 687. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Waynesboro.

By Mr. Clarke of Webster—

House Bill No. 691. A bill to regulate the manner of settling accounts of Tax Collectors in this State.

By Messrs. Riley & Hines of Sumter—

House Bill No. 696. A bill to amend an act amending an act incorporating the City of Americus.

By Mr. Langford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 699. A bill to abolish the independent school system for the City of Lyons in Toombs County.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 703. A bill to amend an act incorporating the Town of Canton in Cherokee County.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland and Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 706. A bill to carry into effect an amendment to the constitution relative to the Stone Mountain Circuit.

By Messrs. Brammen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Bill No. 714. A bill to amend the charter of the City Court of Statesboro.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalk—

House Bill No. 726. A bill to amend the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Law.

By Mr. Strickland of Brantley—

House Bill No. 730. A bill to amend an act establishing the Juvenile Courts.

By Mr. Wall of Putnam—

House Resolution No. 141. (680A). A resolution to appoint a joint committee to investigate the State Board of Entomology.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Resolution No. 154. (724A). A resolution appropriating money for payment of interests on the public debt.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Resolution No. 156. (737B) A resolution

providing for election of member of Board of Commissioners of Jasper County.

By Mr. Johns of the 27th—

Senate Bill No. 151. A bill to amend Section 4775(g) of Parks Code relative to compensation of deputy clerks.

By Mr. Johns of the 27th—

Senate Bill No. 155. A bill to repeal Section 4775 of Parks Code relative to compensation of County Court Bailiffs.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 572. A bill to amend an act creating a Municipal Court of Atlanta by permitting Clerks to administer oaths in criminal warrants.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Parker of Terrell—

House Bill No. 715. A bill to amend the Act establishing the City Court of Dawson.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable

to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 697. A bill to amend Sections 33, 34, and 35 of the Charter of Fitzgerald by providing for the permanent registration of all qualified voters and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 577. A bill requiring non-residents of Camden County to procure a license to fish in any of the fresh waters of said county, and for other purposes.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding the following proviso: "Provided that this act shall not apply to owners of club houses in existence at the time of the passage of

this act in said county or on streams forming the boundary of said county.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 582. A bill to amend an Act providing a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Evans.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking from line 6, Section 3 of said bill the following words “The Ordinary of said County shall be Clerk” and inserting in lieu of said stricken words the following words: “And the said Commissioners shall elect a clerk,” and by striking “The Ordinary of said County shall be Clerk of said Board whose duty it shall be to,” beginning line 17 in said six section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: “The duty of Clerk of said Board shall be to.”

. The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock and the motion prevailed.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the House do now resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering House Resolution No. 149 and that the Committee of the Whole House be instructed to report the same back to the House in thirty minutes, each side being allowed fifteen minutes for debate, and the motion prevailed.

Under the above motion the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. Fowler of Bibb as Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The following resolution of the House, favorably reported by the Committee, was read the second time:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 149. A resolution providing for appointment of committee to investigate Highway Commission.

By unanimous consent Mr. Lankford of Toombs was allowed to cast his vote at this time on the Biennial Session Bill and the Income Tax Bill. He voted "Aye" on both bills.

By unanimous consent Mr. Mixon of Treutlen was allowed to cast his vote at this time on the Biennial Session Bill and the Income Tax Bill. He voted "Aye" on both bills.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of House Bill No. 589 were ordered printed for the use of the House and Senate.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration an order of business for today, have instructed me as Vice-Chairman to report as a special and continuing order of business to be taken up immediately after the period of unfinished business, the following:

House Resolution No. 53. (Relief of bondsman).
Debate 5 minutes.

House Resolution 124. (To reimburse expenses of Special Tax Committee).

House Bill No. 377.

House Bill No. 629. (Atlanta charter bill). Each side limited to 15 minutes debate.

MUNDY of Polk,
Vice-Chairman.

Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas called for a division of the report.

1. Making House Resolution No. 53 a special order.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

House Resolution No. 53 was set as a special order.

2. Making House Resolution No. 124 a special order.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

House Resolution No. 124 was set as a special order.

3. Making House Bill No. 377 a special order.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

The vote on the establishment of this order was Ayes 96, Nays 16. This vote not being a majority of the House the order was not established.

Mr. Horne of Dodge moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and the report of the Committee on Rules went over as unfinished business.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Dobbs of Cobb, Johnson of Bartow, Johnson of Chattahoochee, Fowler of Bibb, Lankford of Toombs and Anderson of Chattooga.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

MONDAY, JULY 17, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Neill of Muscogee and Beckham of Dougherty—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 164. Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly of Georgia extends its most cordial greetings to the Georgia section of the American Legion assembled in annual State reunion and convention at Waycross, Georgia, and expresses the earnest hope that the meeting will be a happy and profitable one for this patriotic organization.

Resolved further, That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House jointly communicate by telegraph the contents of this resolution to the proper official of said organization.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 518 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Sanitarium and re-committed to the Committee on Penitentiary.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of new matter under the rules.
2. Reports of standing committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.

4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.

5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Hillhouse of Worth—

House Resolution No. 165 (762A). A resolution requesting the placing of S. L. Lesseur on the pension roll.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 166 (762B). A resolution for the relief of J. L. Adams as surety on bond.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Messrs. Boatwright and Brown of Emanuel—

House Resolution No. 167 (762C). A resolution for the relief of J. B. Hall as surety on bond.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Franks of Towns—

House Bill No. 750. A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in certain waters in Towns County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 751. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Louisville, Jefferson County.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 752. A bill to authorize the State Treasurer to set aside appropriation relative to license tags.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 753. A bill to appropriate certain sums for welfare and hygiene of maternity and infancy.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 754. A bill to amend Section 2820 of Code of 1910 relative to capital stock of trust companies, etc.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 755. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Chamblee, Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 756. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Bolton, Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty —

House Bill No. 757. A bill to permit cities of certain populations to issue bonds for construction of schools.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Messrs. Bentley, Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 758. A bill to amend the charter of the City of College Park.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 759. A bill to prohibit the growing of cotton on any of the lands of the State of Georgia for 1924.

Referred to General Agricultural Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Smith of Bryan—

House Bill No. 760. A bill to appropriate \$3,500.00 for repair of State Sanitarium at Alto.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 761. A bill to vest title to certain lands in Columbus, Georgia, in Commons of said city.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 762. A bill to amend an Act creating the Municipal Court of Atlanta.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 763. A bill to provide a local Board of Trustees for the Georgia Military College.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

The report of the Prison Commission of Georgia, as called for in House Resolution No. 140, was submitted to the House and referred to the Committee on Penitentiary.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. West of Fannin—

House Bill No. 425. A bill to create a new charter for the Town of Fry.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Resolution No. 156. A resolution to elect members of the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues by popular vote of Jasper County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Boatwright and Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 559. A bill to change the terms of the City Court of Swainsboro, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 566. A bill to provide for the term

of opening and closing polls in certain counties in school bond elections.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 121, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Gresham and Hatcher of Burke—

House Bill No. 687. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Waynesboro authorizing the Mayor and Council of said city to construct, grade, pave and otherwise improve the streets, etc.

The following committee amendments were read and adopted:

Amend caption by inserting in line four (4) before the word "The" and after the word "assess" the following words "not more than two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of" and striking out of line seven (7) the words "either wholly or in part." So that said caption when amended shall read as follows: "An Act to amend the charter of the City of Waynesboro, authorizing the Mayor and Council of said city to construct, grade, pave and otherwise improve the streets of the city of Waynesboro, and to assess not more than two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) of the cost for such construction, grading, paving and other improvements of said streets, out of the real estate abutting on the streets so im-

proved, and also to provide for the issuance of bonds therefor, and for other purposes.”

Amend by striking out of Section 3, line 3, the words “The entire” and inserting in lieu thereof the words, “not more than ($\frac{2}{3}$) two-thirds of the.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 128, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Strickland of Brantley—

House Bill No. 679. A bill requiring non-residents of Brantley County to procure a license to fish in any of the waters of said county, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 123, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Bill No. 681. A bill to amend Section 2 of an Act creating the City Court of Statesboro, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 685. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act authorizing the establishment of a system of Public Schools in the Town of Canton, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 131, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Williams and Adams of Walton—

House Bill No. 686. A bill to amend an Act to change the time of holding May and November terms of Walton Superior Court, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 129, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Riley and Hines of Sumter—

House Bill No. 696. A bill to amend an Act to amend, revise and consolidate the several Acts granting corporate authority to the City of Americus.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 128, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 699. A bill to abolish the independent school system for the City of Lyons, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 127, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Collins of Cherokee—

House Bill No. 703. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the Town of Canton.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Bill No. 714. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Statesboro.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 126, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 647. A bill to amend an Act to fix the amount of the fees of Clerks of the Superior Courts of this State in counties of certain population.

The following committee substitute, the caption as follows, was read and adopted:

A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Ellaville, in and for the County of Schley, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable

to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 124, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

By Mr. Clay of the 39th—

174. A bill to amend Section 958 of Penal Code, to provide bail in misdemeanor cases.

By Mr. Bell of the 42nd—

191. A bill to be entitled an Act to repeal the Act creating the County Court of Chattooga County.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

172. A bill to carry into effect in the City of Atlanta the amendment to the Constitution relative to abolition of justice courts and justice of the peace.

By Messrs. Neill of Muscogee and Beckham of Dougherty—

164. A resolution extending greeting to American Legion assembled at Waycross.

Under the head of unfinished business the report of the Committee on Rules was taken up for further consideration.

Mr. Wall of Putnam moved that the House reconsider its action in disagreeing to the report of the Committee on Rules on House Bill No. 377.

Mr. Hatcher of Muscogee moved the previous question; the call was sustained, and the main question was ordered.

The motion prevailed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the adoption of House Bill No. 377 as a special order, was agreed to.

House Bill No. 377 was set as a special order.

4. Making House Bill No. 629 a special order.

Mr. Bozeman of Worth moved the previous question; the call was sustained, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

House Bill No. 629 was set as a special order.

Under orders of the day the following bills and resolutions of the House, set as a special order on recommendation of the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Resolution No. 53. A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of Perry Hendrix, convicted in the City Court of Baxley, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 111, Nays 0.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Hunter of Chatham and Parks of Terrell—

House Resolution No. 124. A joint resolution relative to paying the expenses incurred by the committee considering changes in the tax system.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Beck of Carroll as Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose, and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Harris	Parrish
Adams of Walton	Hatcher of Burke	Patten
Atkinson	Hatcher of Muscogee	Penland
Baldwin	Hawkins	Perkins
Beck	Herring	Peterson
Beckham	Hines of Decatur	Phillips of Jasper
Bird of Taliaferro	Hines of Sumter	Phillips of Telfair
Blalock	Hodges	Pickren
Bloodworth	Holland	Pilcher
Bobo	Holloway	Price
Bowen	Horne	Pruett
Boyett	Houston	Ramsey
Braddy	Howard of Forsyth	Reagan
Branch	Hullender	Riley
Brantley	Hunter	Russell
Brown of Emanuel	Hyman	Salmon
Brownlee	Jackson	Sapp
Camp	Jones of Coweta	Shettlesworth
Childs	Jones of Thomas	Sibley
Clark of Colquitt	Jones of Walker	Singletary
Clark of Webster	Johnson of Pickens	Smiley
Clifton	Kittrell	Smith of Bryan
Collier	Knight	Smith of Meriwether
Culpepper	Lewis	Steele
Daniel of Troup	Luke	Stovall
Davis of Floyd	McClelland	Sumner of Wheeler
Davis of Oglethorpe	McClure	Swift
DeFoor	McDonald of Mitchell	Tatum
DeLaPerriere	McDonald of	Thompson of Coweta
Dixon	Richmond	Thompson of Dodge
Ennis	MacIntyre	Turner
Ficklen	Malone	Tyson
Franks	Manning	Valentino
Gann	Mason	Van Landingham
Grant	Mayo	Vocelle
Griffin	Miles	Walker
Griffith	Moore of Fulton	Wall
Greene	Mundy	Way
Grovenstein	Neal of Union	Weston
Guess	Nichols	Whitley
Gunnels	Owen	Whitaker of Rockdale
Hamilton	Parks	Whitworth

Williams of Miller	Wood	Wynne
Wimberly	Woodard	
Winship	Worthy	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Hillhouse

Those not voting were Messrs:

Anderson	Dykes	Mann
Arnold	Evans	Mixon
Bentley	Fletcher	Moore of Appling
Bleckley	Folsom	Moye
Boatwright	Fowler	Perryman
Boswell	Foy	Quincey
Bowden	Gresham	Reville
Bozeman	Haddock	Ricketson
Brannen	Henderson	Robinson
Brown of Hancock	Houser	Rutherford
Bush	Howard of Screven	Smith of Carroll
Byrd of Crisp	Hufstetler	Smith of Haralson
Carr	Johnson of Bartow	Stone
(Carswell)	Johnson of	Strickland
Coates	Chattahoochee	Sumner of Johnson
Collins	Keith	Swindle
Corbitt	Kennedy	Trippe
Cowart	King of Jefferson	Van Zant
Daniel of Heard	King of Wilcox	Watkins
Dickerson	Langford of Hall	Webb
Dobbs	Lankford of Toombs	Whitaker of Lowndes
DuBose	Logan	Williams of Harris
Dudley	McGarity	Williams of Walton
Duncan of Dawson	McMichael	Wyatt
Duncan of Hall	Maddox	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 132; Nays 1.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 132, Nays 1.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 377. A bill to make an appropriation of \$15,000.00 to the Georgia State Board of Entomology, and for other purposes.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson as Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Brannen of Bulloch—

A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Hon. Z. V. Peacock.

Mr. Davis of Floyd moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Perryman of Talbot.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

TUESDAY, JULY 18, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
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Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
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King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
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Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
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McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleton	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of House and Senate, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 94. A bill to provide for the assessment giving an approval of the supersedeas bonds.

Senate Bill No. 177. A bill to amend Act establishing one or more consolidated public schools in each county.

House Bill No. 601. A bill to amend Act creating City Court of Thomasville.

House Bill No. 580. A bill relative to building of certain roads in Glynn County.

House Bill No. 581. A bill to grant to Glynn County certain marsh lands.

Senate Bill No. 202. A bill to amend Civil Code relative to the non-suiting of plaintiffs.

Senate Bill No. 193. A bill to repeal Act incorporating Town of Crest.

Senate Bill No. 148. A bill to amend Act establishing charter for City of Calhoun.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 210 was re-committed to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 for the purpose of reconsidering its action in reporting same unfavorably.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 745 was withdrawn from the Committee of the Whole House and re-committed to the Committee on Pensions.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on Game and Fish, read the second time, and re-committed:

By Mr. Franks of Towns—

House Bill No. 750. A bill to prohibit catching of fish in Brastown Creek and its tributaries in certain limits.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 616 was re-committed to the Committee on Corporations for the purpose of reconsidering its action in reporting same unfavorably.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate

bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.

5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of House, to-wit:

Bouse Bill No. 609. A bill to amend Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Appling County.

The Senate has read and adopted the following resolution of the Senate:

A resolution accepting the invitation of the Woman's Club of Atlanta to a garden party.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Resolution No. 169 (779A). A resolution relative to fixing State line between Georgia and Tennessee.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien:

House Resolution No. 171 (779B). A resolution asking information from State Entomologist.

Lie on table one day.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 764. A bill to require mortgages on stocks of goods to be recorded in ten days.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 765. A bill to carry into effect an amendment to the Constitution relative to Judge of Chattahoochee Circuit.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Messrs. McDonald and Pilcher of Richmond—

House Bill No. 766. A bill to amend Paragraph 1, Section 13, Article 6 of the Constitution relative to Superior Court of circuit in which Richmond County is located.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Trippe of Bartow—

House Bill No. 767. A bill to provide certain requirements in applications for charters, and for other purposes.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 768. A bill to prevent people who live in Militia Districts of no-fence law from voting in said County under certain circumstances.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Davis, Hamilton and Salmon of Floyd—

House Bill No. 769. A bill to require the various counties to furnish certain blanks to Justices of the Peace and Notaries Public.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 770. A bill to authorize the Federal Government to establish rules for protection of game and fish.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 771. A bill to appropriate money for use of North Georgia Agricultural College at Dahlonega.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 772. A bill to repeal an Act to

establish a public School system in the Town of Abbeville.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 773. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Americus.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Boyett of Stewart—

House Bill No. 774. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a School System for the Town of Richland.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Pruett of Lumpkin, Swindle of Jackson, Valentino of Chatham, Moore of Fulton, and others—

House Bill No. 775. A bill to empower county authorities to keep in repair places of holding Justice Courts.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 776. A bill to amend Section 5202 of the Code of 1910, relative to answer in certiorari cases.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 777. A bill to appropriate \$600.00 to Georgia Training School for Boys.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Robinson of Macon—

House Bill No. 778. A bill to amend an Act and Amendatory Acts establishing the City Court of Oglethorpe.

Referred to Committee on Uniform State Laws.

By Mr. Collier of Stephens—

House Bill No. 779. A bill to amend an Act relative to terms of Superior Court of Stephens County.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Messrs. Blalock and Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 780. A bill to amend an Act to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Ware County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 172. A resolution thanking

Hon. Jas. F. Malone of Bibb for compiling certain data as to education and ordering 300 copies of same to be published for the information of the House and Senate.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 173. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Messrs. W. F. Jones, Worley Nall, Carter Arnold and George Gaines.

Mr. Kittrell of Laurens County, Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 1 have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 562.

Respectfully submitted,

KITTRELL of Laurens, Chairman.

Mr. Beck of Carroll County, Chairman of the Committee on Temperance, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Temperance have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

House Bill No. 669.

BECK of Carroll, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Bryan County, Chairman of the Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation have had under consideration the following bills and resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 447 do pass.

House Bill No. 512 do pass.

House Bill No. 711 do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 236 do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 338 do not pass.

House Bill No. 457 do not pass.

House Bill No. 541 do not pass.

House Resolution No. 83 do not pass.

SMITH of Bryan, Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Chatham County, Chairman of the

Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 702.

PICKREN of Charlton, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 727.

House Bill No. 755.

House Bill No. 761.

SMITH of Meriwether, Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and

resolutions of the House, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Hamilton and Davis of Floyd—

House Bill No. 236. A bill to amend an Act regulating the practice of optometry in the State.

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 447. A bill to warrant the installation of sanitary plumbing in all public buildings.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 512. A bill to amend an Act entitled “Medical Examiners, State Board of,” etc.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 562. A bill to repeal an Act to prevent the shipment of tick infested cattle into the State.

By Messrs. Whitley of Douglas, Malone of Bibb, and Horne of Dodge—

House Bill No. 669. A bill to amend the prohibition law so as to provide penalty for the violation thereof.

By Mr. Williams of Miller—

House Bill No. 702. A bill to amend an Act creating the City of Colquitt, in Miller County.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 711. A bill to prevent improper practices by mid-wives in certain cases.

By Mr. Grant of Habersham—

House Bill No. 727. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the City of Clarksville.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 755. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Chamblee, Georgia.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 761. A bill to vest title to certain land in the Commissioner of Commons of Columbus.

The following bills of the Senate were read for the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 94. A bill to provide for the assessment giving an approval of the supersedeas bonds in this State.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. David of the 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 148. A bill to amend an Act establishing a charter for the City of Calhoun, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 171. A bill to carry into effect in the City of Atlanta the amendment to the Constitution relative to abolition of Justice Courts and Justice of the Peace.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Clay of the 39th—

Senate Bill No. 174. A bill to amend Section 958 of the Penal Code relative to bail in misdemeanor cases.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Collum of the 13th—

Senate Bill No. 177. A bill to amend Section 1 of an Act relative to establishment of consolidated schools in each county of the State, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bell of the 42nd—

Senate Bill No. 191. A bill to repeal the Act creating the County Court of Chattooga County.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Womble of the 25th—

Senate Bill No. 193. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Crest.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Golucke of the 19th—

Senate Bill No. 202. A bill to amend Section 4381 of the Civil Code of Georgia.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of Senate, to-wit:

A bill to amend Penal Code relative to punishment for burglary.

The Senate has also passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate resolution, to-wit:

A resolution to appoint a committee to draft certain tax bills.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of Senate, to-wit:

A bill to amend charter of Town of Statham.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House, to-wit: .

A bill to amend charter of City of Washington.

A bill to amend Act establishing City Court of Claxton.

A bill to repeal Act establishing City Court of Ashburn.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and adopted:

By Mr. David of the 43rd—

Senate Resolution No. 79. A resolution accepting the invitation of the Woman's Club of Atlanta to attend a garden party on Tuesday afternoon, July the 18th.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 377. A bill to make an appropriation of \$15,000.00 to the Georgia State Board of Entomology, and for other purposes.

The Committee of the Whole House had had the above bill under consideration and had reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

The House was again resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through its Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the request that the House instruct the committee that further debate on the bill be closed.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House with instructions that the committee report on said bill immediately and the motion prevailed.

Under the above motion the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through its Chairman reported the bill back with the recommendation that the same do not pass.

On agreeing to the report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill, Mr. McMichael of Marion called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill, substitute, and all amendments be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Beckham of Dougherty and Robinson of
Macon—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 174. Whereas, through the Divine Providence of an all wise God, Mrs. Albert Kirven, beloved sister of B. J. Williams, Representative from Harris County, has passed into the Great Beyond, through information just received in the House.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, by the members of this House, that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to our colleague in this bereavement and that the Clerk transmit a copy of this resolution to the Hon. B. J. Williams aforesaid.

Under the orders of the day the following bill of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Messrs. Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 629. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Atlanta, and for other purposes.

Mr. Moore of Fulton moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and the bill went over as unfinished business.

The following communication was read:

Waycross, Ga., July 17, 1922.

Hon. Cecil Neill,

Speaker House of Representatives,

Atlanta, Ga.

The Georgia department the American Legion acknowledges with sincere appreciation the good wishes expressed by the House of Representatives in its joint resolution with the Senate. We reciprocate the spirit of your felicitations. May the present session of the General Assembly be replete with legislation for the welfare of our beloved State and her institutions.

JAMES A. FORT,

Commander Department the Georgia American
Legion.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Davis of Oglethorpe, Holloway of Fulton, and Beckham of Dougherty.

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 175. *Whereas*, the news of the death of Judge Benjamin H. Hill, Georgia's distinguished jurist and statesman, has just been made known to us, out of regard for the memory of this great Georgian, it is resolved that the House of Representatives adjourn today at 12:30.

Resolved further, That the Speaker appoint a Committee from this House, as an honorary escort, to attend the funeral of this beloved Georgian.

The Speaker appointed the following committee on the part of the House under the above resolution:

Messrs. Davis of Oglethorpe, Holloway of Fulton, Beckham of Dougherty, Moore of Fulton.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 176. *Whereas*, Hon. H. B. Folsom, a distinguished member of this House, has been forced to leave his legislative duties and return to his home at Mt. Vernon, on account of illness;

Therefore, Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, that the sympathy of the House be and the same is hereby extended to our colleague and that he has our best wishes for a speedy restoration to health.

Resolved further, That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby instructed to immediately transmit a copy of this resolution to Mr. Folsom at his home.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate Bills and General House and Senate Bills having a local application.
5. First Reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the Committees:

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 781. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts relative to costs in courts in certain counties.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Langford and Duncan of Hall—

House Bill No. 782. A bill to amend by substitution an Act incorporating the City of Gainesville.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Bleckley of Rabun—

House Bill No. 783. A bill for certain funds to be paid to Rabun County from sale of products of Nantahala Area.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Bleckley of Rabun and Grant of Habersham—

House Bill No. 784. A bill to appropriate money to Girl's Dormitory of Ninth District A. & M. School.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. McClure and Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 785. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts establishing Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Walker County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Davis of Floyd, Smith of Haralson, Branch of Turner and Manning of Milton—

House Bill No. 786. A bill to put in force amendment to Par. 1, Sec. 1, Art. 7, of the Constitution relative to pensions.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Houston of Gwinnett—

House Bill No. 787. A bill to regulate payment of entrance fees in certain State primaries.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 788. A bill to appropriate certain sums to North Georgia Agricultural College at Dahlonega.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Collier of Stephens—

House Bill No. 789. A bill to provide for payment of fees and wages now exempted from garnishment in certain cases.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Sumner of Wheeler—

House Bill No. 790. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a public school system for Town of Almo.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. McMichael of Marion, Webb of Lowndes
and others—

House Bill No. 791. A bill to provide for taxes
for educational purposes, county agents, etc.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and
Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Jackson and Houser of Houston—

House Bill No. 792. A bill to amend an Act to
establish the City Court of Houston County.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 2.

By Mr. Wynne of Bleckley—

House Bill No. 793. A bill to make appropriation
to the Twelfth District A. & M. School at Cochran.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and
Ways and Means.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden County, Chairman of the
Committee on Game and Fish submitted the follow-
ing report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had
under consideration the following bills of the House
and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the

same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 591. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 606. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 731. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 770. Do pass.

JAMES T. VOCELLE, of Camden,
Chairman.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass:

House Bill No. 593. Do not pass.

MCDONALD of Richmond,
Chairman.

Mr. Quincey of Coffee County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Constitutional Amendments submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments

have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Vice-Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 766.

QUINCEY of Coffee, Chairman.

Mr. Bird of Taliaferro County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Western and Atlantic Railroad submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Western and Atlantic Railroad have had under consideration the following Resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Resolution No. 138.

BIRD of Taliaferro, Vice-Chairman.

Mr. John Camp Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills and resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House

with the recommendation that the same do pass, to-wit:

House Bill No. 674.

House Bill No. 769.

House Bill No. 688.

House Bill No. 713, as amended.

House Bill No. 757.

House Bill No. 210.

House Bill No. 639, by substitute.

House Resolution No. 169.

JOHN CAMP DAVIS of Floyd,

Chairman.

Mr. Boyett of Stewart County, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Pensions have had under consideration the following bill and resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 745.

House Resolution No. 165. (762A).

BOYETT of Stewart, Chairman.

Mr. Pickren, of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations has submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 733. Do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 616. Do pass by substitute.

Senate Bill No. 193. Do pass.

PICKREN of Charlton, Chairman.

Mr. Mason, of Hart County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Libraries submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Libraries have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 734.

MASON of Hart, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House and Senate, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 189. A bill to create the City Court of Summerville.

House Bill No. 240. A bill to create and establish the State Investigating and Budget Commission.

The Senate has read and adopted the following resolution of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Resolution No. 80. A resolution providing for a joint session of the General Assembly to hear an address by Senator Harris.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Smith of Meriwether—

House Bill No. 210. A bill to amend an Act “To reorganize the State Highway Department of Georgia.”

By Messrs. Reagan of Henry and Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 606. A bill to amend an Act entitled an Act “To protect the fur-bearing animals of the State.”

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 616. A bill to amend the town Charter of Whigam in Grady County.

By Mr. Griffith of Oconee—

House Bill No. 639. A bill to prescribe the rules of evidence in certain criminal cases.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 674. A bill to withdraw the privilege of admission to the bar by diploma alone.

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 688. A bill to amend Section 416 of Penal Code of 1910 relative to working on Sunday.

By Mr. Griffith of Oconee—

House Bill No. 713. A bill to amend Section 1169 of Code of 1910 relative to the redemption of property sold under tax execution.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 733. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Elberton, in Elbert County.

By Mr. Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 734. A bill relative to the maintaining of free public libraries in all counties of State.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 757. A bill to permit cities and towns to issue bonds for joint high schools.

By Messrs. McDonald and Pilcher of Richmond—

House Bill No. 766. A bill to amend Par. 1, Sec. 13, Art. 6 of the Constitution relative to Judge of Superior Court of Richmond County.

By Messrs. Davis, Hamilton and Salmon of Floyd—

House Bill No. 769. A bill to require various counties to furnish certain blanks to J. P.'s and N. P.'s.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 770. A bill to authorize Federal authorities to establish rules of protection of game and fish.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 158. (669B). A resolution providing for commission to prevent junking of the W. & A. Railroad.

By Mr. Hillhouse of Worth

House Resolution No. 165. (762A). A resolution to place S. L. Lesseur on the Pension Roll.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Resolution No. 169. (779A). A resolution

relative to settling State line between the State of Georgia and Tennessee.

By Mr. Womble of the 25th—

Senate Bill No. 193. A bill to repeal an Act to incorporate the Town of Crest.

By Messrs. Horne of Dodge and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 745. A bill to amend the several Acts relative to the Confederate Soldier's Home, so as to make President of Daughters of Confederacy a member.

The following bills of the House was read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Williams of Miller—

House Bill No. 702. A bill to amend an Act creating the City of Colquitt.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Grant of Habersham—

House Bill No. 727. A bill to amend an Act creating a new Charter and Municipal Government for the City of Clarksville.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 119, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess, and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 755. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Chamblee.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher, and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 761. A bill to vest the title of Lot Number Three in Block Sixty-six of the Commons of the City of Columbus, and to authorize said Free Kindergarten Association to sell said property and to execute a deed thereto without restrictions, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Nix of the 51st—

Senate Bill No. 14. A bill to amend Section 147 of Penal Code of 1910 defining punishment of the crime of burglary.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bellah of the 42nd—

Senate Bill No. 189. A bill to create the City Court of Summerville for the County of Chattooga.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Johns of the 27th—

Senate Bill No. 213. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Statham.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

The following resolutions of the Senate were read and adopted:

By Messrs. Thorpe of the 2nd, Clay of the 39th and others—

A resolution for a joint session of the General

Assembly to hear an address by Senator Harris.

By Mr. Golucke of the 19th—

A resolution to appoint a joint committee to draft a certain bill for the purpose of raising additional revenue.

The Speaker appointed the following committee on the part of the House under the above resolution:

Messrs. Bird of Taliaferro, Brantley of Pierce, Culpepper of Fayette

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Stovall of McDuffie—

House Resolution No. 177. Resolved by the House of Representatives that the thanks of this House be extended to the Atlanta Womans Club for the elegant and delightful entertainment given to the members of the General Assembly and their wives at the club rooms on Peachtree Street Tuesday P. M., July 18th.

A RESOLUTION

Resolved further that we commend the splendid work being done by this organization and pledge it our best wishes for its future usefulness.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Messrs. Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

A bill to amend the charter of the City of Atlanta and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the bill be immediately transmitted to the Senate and the motion prevailed.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration an order of business for Wednesday, July 19th, have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report as a special and continuing order of business, to be taken up immediately after the period of unfinished business the following:

House Bill No. 212. (Biennial Sessions of Legislature).

House Bill No. 6. (For second reading and disagreement to report of Committee).

MUNDY of Polk, Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Arnold of Clay called for a division of the report.

1. Making House Bill No. 212 a special order.

The report of the committee which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

House Bill No. 212 was set as a special order.

2. Making House Bill No. 6 a special order for disagreeing to the report of committee and for second reading.

Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas moved the previous question; the call was sustained, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the establishment of that order of business, was agreed to.

House Bill No. 6 was set as a special order for disagreeing to the report of the committee and for second reading.

Mr. Williams of Walton moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Thursday, July 20, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
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Kittrell	Price	Watkins
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Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
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Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
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McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 621. A bill to amend Act incorporating Town of Norcross.

House Bill No. 634. A bill to change time of holding the Superior Court of Baker County.

House Bill No. 596. A bill to abolish Act establishing City Court of Hazelhurst.

House Bill No. 643. A bill to amend Act providing for holding two terms of Superior Court of Tatnall County.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following Senate resolutions, to-wit:

Senate Resolution No. 81. A resolution accepting invitation of people of Townsend, Ga., to a barbecue.

Senate Resolution No. 82. A resolution expressing appreciation for invitation to Woman's Club reception.

Senate Resolution No. 26. A resolution relieving L. B. Williams as surety on bond.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following resolution of the House, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 152. A resolution providing for a joint committee to obtain subscriptions to place memorials of Alexander H. Stephens and Dr. Crawford M. Long in the Hall of Fame.

The President has appointed the following Senators as a committee on the part of the Senate to act under the above resolution:

Messrs. Johns and
Golucke.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 791 was withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means and recommitted to the Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 583 was withdrawn from the Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches and recommitted to the Committee on General Agriculture No. 2.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the committee, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. Robinson of Macon—

House Bill No. 778. A bill to amend an Act relative to establishing the City Court of Oglethorpe.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 786 was withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means and recommitted to the Committee on Pensions.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the House was introduced, read, and adopted:

By Mr. Pickren of Charlton—

House Resolution No. 780. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Hon. W. H. Burt.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and

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resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Sapp of Whitfield—

House Resolution No. 179 (806A). A resolution providing payment of pension to widow of Martin Arnold.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Messrs. Johnson of Bartow and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 794. A bill to amend Article 7, Section 2, Paragraph 2 of the Constitution relative to exempt property.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Wyatt of Troup and Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 795. A bill to provide for the levying of taxes other than ad valorem taxes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Williams of Harris—

House Bill No. 796. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize the State Highway Department.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 797. A bill to make it unlawful to kill certain animals away from the premises of owner in Liberty County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 798. A bill to amend an amended Act by substitution creating a new charter for City of Hazelhurst, in Jeff Davis County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Beck and Smith of Carroll—

House Bill No. 799. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Bowden, in Carroll County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Bobo and Ficklen of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 800. A bill to provide for the operation of motor trucks, etc., respective to weights.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 801. A bill to amend Section 1249 of Code of 1910, relative to State Depositories.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 802. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Rochelle.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Mann of Glynn, Holloway of Fulton, and others—

House Bill No. 803. A bill to create a Bond Commission for the State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Mann of Glynn, Holloway of Fulton, and others—

House Bill No. 804. A bill to amend the Constitution relative to the proceeds of highway bonds.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Hufstetler of Murray, Owen of Gordon, McClure and Jones of Walker, and Sapp of Whitfield—

House Bill No. 805. A bill to prohibit taking fish from any of streams, etc., with a seine, etc.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 806. A bill to repeal an Act entitled an Act to repeal an Act to protect persons fur-

nishing labor and material for construction of public works.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Messrs. Mann of Glynn and Holloway of Fulton and others—

House Bill No. 807. A bill to create a Bond Commission for the State, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 148.

House Bill No. 773.

House Bill No. 782.

Respectfully,

SMITH of Meriwether, Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 555.

House Bill No. 724.

House Bill No. 748.

House Bill No. 635.

And that the following bills of the House do not pass:

House Bill No. 668.

House Bill No. 94.

House Bill No. 610.

House Resolution No. 147.

LANKFORD of Toombs,

Chairman.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 449, as amended.

House Bill No. 637.

House Bill No. 716.

CULPEPPER of Fayette,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 772.

House Bill No. 790.

MOORE of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 747.

House Bill No. 774.

Senate Bill No. 213.

PICKREN of Charlton, Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. David of the 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 148. A bill to amend an Act establishing a charter for the City of Calhoun.

By Mr. Johns of the 27th—

Senate Bill No. 213. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Statham.

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Bill No. 449. A bill to amend Paragraph 1, Section 2, Article 7 of the Constitution relative to tax on classified property.

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 555. A bill to amend Article 8, Section 4, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution, relative to schools.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 635. A bill to amend Article 3,

Section 4, Paragraph 7 of the Constitution, relative to appointments by Governor.

By Messrs. Culpepper of Fayette and DuBose of Clarke—

House Bill No. 637. A bill to amend an Act entitled "The General Tax Act."

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 716. A bill to make it unlawful for corporations, etc., to use word "Georgia" in its corporate name.

By Mr. Johnson of Chattahoochee—

House Bill No. 724. A bill to amend Article 2, Section 3, Paragraph 1 of the Constitution relative to consolidation of offices of Clerk and Ordinary.

By Mr. DeFoor of Clayton—

House Bill No. 747. A bill to repeal an Act to incorporate the City of Rex, in Clayton County.

By Mr. Neill of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 748. A bill to amend Paragraph 3, Section 1, Article 2 of the Constitution relative to poll taxes.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 772. A bill to repeal Act establishing public school system in Town of Abbeville.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 773. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Americus.

By Mr. Boyett of Stewart—

House Bill No. 774. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a public school system for the Town of Richland.

By Messrs. Langford and Duncan of Hall—

House Bill No. 782. A bill to amend by substitution the charter of the City of Gainesville.

By Mr. Sumner of Wheeler—

House Bill No. 790. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a system of public schools in the Town of Almo.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 616. A bill to amend the town charter of Whigham, and for other purposes.

The committee substitute was read and adopted.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 123, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 733. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Elberton by providing for the registration of voters of said city, and for other purposes.

The committee substitute was read and adopted.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 140, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

The following resolution of the Senate was read the first time and referred to a committee:

By Mr. Wohlwender of the 24th—

Senate Resolution No. 26. A resolution relieving L. B. Williams as surety on bond.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

The following resolutions of the Senate were read and concurred in:

By Mr. Thorpe of the 2nd—

Senate Resolution No. 81. A resolution accepting

invitation of people of Townsend to barbecue and celebration.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Resolution No. 82. A resolution to express appreciation for invitation to Woman's Club.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. McClure of Walker—

House Resolution No. 180. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Hon. T. F. McFarland.

The Speaker appointed the following committee on the part of the House under House Resolution No. 152, a resolution pertaining to the placing of memorials to A. H. Stephens and Crawford W. Long in the Hall of Fame:

Messrs. DeLaPerriere of Jackson,

Russell of Barrow,

Reville of Richmond.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bills, to-wit:

By Messrs. Walker of 18th and Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 122. A bill to amend Section 3931, Paragraph 6, of Code of 1910, so as to make the mother an equal heir with the father, brother, and sister of a deceased intestate.

By Mr. Nix of the 51st—

Senate Bill No. 176. A bill to amend Section 5 of Article 5 of an Act approved August 18, 1919, so as to add a proviso at the end of Section 5 providing that no material, machinery or supplies shall be purchased except from the lowest and best bidder.

By Mr. Womble of 25th—

Senate Bill No. 232. A bill to require all persons operating automobiles or trucks to stop same before entering covered bridges, and for other purposes.

By Mr. Lasseter of 14th—

Senate Bill No. 231. A bill to amend an Act approved August 16, 1920, so as to fix the time of holding the Superior Courts in the Cordele Circuit of this State.

By Mr. Haralson of 40th—

Senate Bill No. 224. A bill to provide additional grounds for revoking the licenses of businesses engaged in insuring against liabilities.

By Mr. David of 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 219. A bill to repeal an Act amending road laws in Gordon County.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following resolution, to-wit:

By Mr. Clay of 39th—

Senate Resolution No. 83. A resolution to empower Georgia Secretary of State to sign marketing agreement of Georgia Cotton Growers.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of the Senate:

By Messrs. Weaver of 11th and Aiken of 4th—

Senate Bill No. 286. A bill to permit all corporations now incorporated by the Secretary of State, except insurance, bank and trust companies, to issue non-par stock, or partly non-par stock, and partly non-par stock, and for other purposes.

Under Orders of the Day, the following bill of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 212. A bill to amend Paragraph 3,

Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution so as to provide for biennial instead of annual sessions of the General Assembly, and for other purposes.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to amend Paragraph 3, Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, by striking the word and figures "October, 1878," in line 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "June, 1923," and by striking the word "annually" in line four and inserting in lieu thereof the word "biennially" and by striking the word "fifty" in line six and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty," so as to provide for the meeting of the General Assembly biennially instead of annually and for sixty days instead of fifty and the manner of submitting same for ratification, and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That Paragraph 3, Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia be and the same is hereby amended by striking the word and figures "October, 1878," in line 3, and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "June, 1923," and by striking the word "annually" in line four and inserting in lieu thereof the word "bien-

nially," and by striking the word "fifty" in line six and inserting in lieu thereof the word "sixty," so that when said Paragraph 3, Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution is so amended it shall read as follows:

"Paragraph 3. Meeting of the General Assembly. The first meeting of the General Assembly after the ratification of this Constitution, shall be on the fourth Wednesday in June, 1923, and biennially thereafter, on the same day, until the day shall be changed by law. No session of the General Assembly shall continue longer than sixty days; provided, that if an impeachment trial is pending at the end of sixty days, the session may be prolonged till the completion of said trial."

SECTION 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That when said amendment shall be agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the members elected to each House, it shall be entered upon the Journal of each House with the "Ayes" and "Nays" thereon and published in one or more newspapers in each Congressional District in said State for two months previous to the time for holding the next general election and shall, at the next general election, be submitted to the people for ratification. All persons voting at said election in favor of adopting said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For ratification of Amendment to Paragraph 3, Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, providing for the meeting of the General Assem-

bly biennially:" and all persons opposed to the adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against ratification of amendment to Paragraph 3, Section 4, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, providing for the meeting of the General Assembly biennially," and if a majority of the electors qualified to vote for the members of the General Assembly voting thereon shall vote for the ratification thereof, when the returns shall be consolidated, as are required by law in elections for members of the General Assembly, and return thereof made to the Governor, then he shall declare said amendment adopted and make proclamation of the results of said election by one insertion in one of the daily papers of this State, declaring the amendment ratified.

SECTION 3. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment, the roll call was ordered, and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Beckham	Bowen
Adams of Walton	Bird of Taliaferro	Boyett
Arnold	Bloodworth	Braddy
Atkinson	Boatwright	Branch
Baldwin	Bobo	Brantley
Beck	Boswell	Brown of Hancock

Brownlee	Jackson	Price
Bush	Jones of Coweta	Quincey
Byrd of Crisp	Jones of Thomas	Ramsey
Carr	Jones of Walker	Reagan
Childs	Johnson of Bartow	Ricketson
Clark of Colquitt	Johnson of	Riley
Clark of Webster	Chattahoochee	Robinson
Collier	Keith	Russell
Collins	Kennedy	Rutherford
Corbitt	King of Wilcox	Salmon
Cowart	Knight	Sapp
Culpepper	Langford of Hall	Shettlesworth
DeFoor	Lankford of Toombs	Sibley
DeLaPerriere	Lewis	Singletary
Dickerson	Logan	Smiley
Dudley	McClure	Smith of Bryan
Dykes	McDonald of Mitchell	Smith of Carroll
Ficklen	McGarity	Smith of Haralson
Fletcher	MacIntyre	Smith of Meriwether
Gann	Maddox	Steele
Grant	Malone	Stone
Griffin	Mann	Stovall
Griffith	Manning	Strickland
Greene	Mason	Sumner of Johnson
Grovenstein	Mayo	Swift
Gunnels	Miles	Tatum
Haddock	Mixon	Thompson of Coweta
Hatcher of Burke	Moore of Appling	Trippe
Hatcher of Muscogee	Moore of Fulton	Van Landingham
Hawkins	Moye	Vocelle
Henderson	Mundy	Walker
Herring	Neal of Union	Wall
Hillhouse	Nichols	Watkins
Hines of Decatur	Owen	Way
Hines of Sumter	Parks	Whitaker of Rockdale
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Houser	Perkins	Worthy
Houston	Perryman	Wyatt
Hufstetler	Phillips of Jasper	Wynne
Hullender	Phillips of Telfair	
Hyman	Pickren	

Those voting in the Negative were Messrs:

Anderson	Emmis	McClelland
Bentley	Evans	McDonald of
Bleckley	Foy	Richmond
Bowden	Franks	McMichael
Bozeman	Guess	Peterson
Brown of Emanuel	Hamilton	Pilcher
Carswell	Harris	Pruett
Clifton	Horne	Sumner of Wheeler
Daniel of Heard	Howard of Forsyth	Tyson
Davis of Oglethorpe	Howard of Screven	Valentino
Dixon	Johnson of Pickens	Van Zant
Duncan of Dawson	Kittrell	Wimberly
Duncan of Hall	Luke	Wood

Those not voting were Messrs:

Blalock	Fowler	Weston
Brannen	Gresham	Whitley
Camp	Hunter	Whitaker of Lowndes
Coates	King of Jefferson	Williams of Miller
Daniel of Troup	Reville	Williams of Walton
Davis of Floyd	Swindle	Winship
Dobbs	Thompson of Dodge	Mr. Speaker
DuBose	Turner	
Folsom	Webb	

Ayes 144; Nays 38.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 144, Nays 38.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

Mr. Dykes of Dooly moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Boyett of Stewart.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

FRIDAY, July 21, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Beatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
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Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
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Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of Chattahoochee	Perkins	Tyson
Johnson of Pickens	Perryman	Valentino
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King of Jefferson	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Wilcox	Pickren	Walker
Kittrell	Pilcher	Wall
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Langford of Hall	Pruett	Way
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Logan	Reagan	Whitley
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	Smith of Haralson	

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5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 183. (817A). A resolution for the payment of certain money to Charles W. Crankshaw.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Phillips of Telfair—

House Resolution No. 184. (817B). A resolution to relieve from liability Tax Collector and Sureties on bond of Tax Collector of Telfair County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 185. (817C). A resolution appropriating money, which was omitted through typographical error from General Appropriation bill of 1921.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Bleckley of Rabun, Neal of Union and others—

House Bill No. 808. A bill to authorize Treasurer of State to pay certain sums to certain counties.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 809. A bill to amend an Act to create city court of Claxton.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 810. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Milledgeville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 811. A bill to establish the City Court of Barrow County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 812. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Atlanta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Brownlee of Elbert—

House Bill No. 813. A bill to amend an Act known as the "Georgia Motor Vehicle Law."

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 814. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Augusta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 815. A bill to repeal an act relative to the payment of certain wages.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 816. A bill to repeal an Act to abolish the fees system in Northeastern Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. McClure and Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 817. A bill to amend an Act

abolishing commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Walker County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 181. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Mr. Thomas J. Hamilton.

Mr. Smith of Haralson County, Chairman of the Committee on Uniform State Laws submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Uniform State Laws have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 778.

SMITH of Haralson, Chairman.

Mr. Anderson of Chattooga County, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Pensions have had under con-

sideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass :

House Bill No. 786.

ANDERSON of Chattooga, Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 has submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker :

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows :

House Bill No. 720. Do pass.

House Bill No. 792. Do pass.

House Bill No. 453. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 557. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 560. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 595. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 700. Do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CAMP DAVIS, of Floyd, Chairman.

Mr. Dobbs of Cobb County, Chairman of the Com-

mittee on University of Georgia and Its Branches submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 578.

House Bill No. 763.

And with recommendation that the following do not pass:

House Bill No. 693.

DOBBS of Cobb, Chairman.

Mr. Tatum of Dade County, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Railroads have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 552. Do pass by substitute as amended.

House Bill No. 662. Do not pass.

TATUM of Dade, Chairman.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 636. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 729. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 751. Do pass.

House Bill No. 779. Do pass.

House Bill No. 781. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 191. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 189. Do pass.

McDONALD of Richmond,

Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, of Catoosa County, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment have examined, found properly enrolled, signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following acts and resolutions, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 136. A resolution urging Congress to accept Henry Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals.

House Bill No. 580. A bill relative to building and constructing certain roads in Glynn County.

House Bill No. 581. A bill to grant to Glynn County certain lands herein described.

House Bill No. 609. A bill to amend an Act approved July 29, 1915, creating a Board of Commissioners for the County of Appling.

House Bill No. 240. A bill to establish a State Budget and Investigating Committee.

House Bill No. 556. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Washington.

House Bill No. 601. A bill to amend an Act creating a City Court of Thomasville.

House Bill No. 627. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Claxton.

House Bill No. 658. A bill to repeal an Act relative to the City Court of Ashburn, Turner County.

House Bill No. 634. A bill to change the time of holding Superior Court of Walker County.

House Bill No. 596. A bill to abolish an Act establishing the City Court of Hazelhurst.

House Bill No. 643. A bill to amend an Act ap-

proved Aug. 1915, relative to terms of Superior Court of Tattnall County.

House Bill No. 621. A bill to amend an Act approved Aug. 17, 1908, amending the Aact incorporating the town of Norcross.

House Resolution No. 152. A resolution to provide for a joint committee to obtain subscriptions to place memorials to A. H. Stephens and Crawford W. Long in the Hall of Fame.

House Bill No. 582. A bill to amend an Act approved Aug. 16, 1915, providing a Board of Commissioners for Evans County.

House Bill No. 666. A bill to require Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Baldwin County to pay certain fees.

House Bill No. 699. A bill to abolish the independent school system of the City of Lyons, Toombs County.

House Bill No. 685. A bill to amend an Act relative to establishment of public school system in Canton, Cherokee County.

House Bill No. 648. A bill to amend an Act establishing a Board of Commissioners of Colquitt County.

House Bill No. 356. A bill to empower County Commissioners in certain Counties to adopt rules permitting tax payers to pay taxes in quarterly or semi-annual payments.

House Bill No. 571. A bill to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Campbell County.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House.

House Bill No. 356. A bill authorizing County authorities in certain Counties to collect taxes either quarterly or semi-annually.

House Bill No. 571. A bill to abolish office of Treasurer of Campbell County.

House Bill No. 582. A bill to amend Act providing a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for County of Evans.

House Bill No. 645. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Elbert County.

House Bill No. 648. A bill to amend Act establishing a Board of Commissioners of Colquitt County.

House Bill No. 666. A bill to require Commis-

sioners of Roads and Revenues of Baldwin County to pay to proper officers their fees.

House Bill No. 685. A bill to amend Act amending Act authorizing establishment of a Public School System in the Town of Canton.

House Bill No. 699. A bill to abolish Independent School System for City of Lyons.

Senate Bill No. 237. A bill to repeal Act establishing the public school system in the Town of Richland.

Senate Bill No. 185. A bill to create the office of Supervisor of Roads in Wayne County.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of Senate:

Senate Bill No. 182. A bill to prescribe and fix compensation of Treasurer of Clayton County.

Senate Bill No. 186. A bill to abolish County Road Commission of Wayne County.

Senate Bill No. 42. A bill to amend constitution relative to carrying of side arms.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 552. A bill to provide for the regulation of motor vehicles on the highways of the State.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke—

House Bill No. 578. A bill to authorize the collection of tuition by the University and its Branches.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 720. A bill to amend Section 3353 of the Code of 1910, relative to the lien law in this State.

By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 751. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Louisville.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 763. A bill to provide a local Board of Trustees for Georgia Military College.

By Mr. Collier of Stephens—

House Bill No. 779. A bill to amend an Act to provide for holding four terms a year of Stephens County Superior Court.

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 781. A bill to provide payment of Court Costs in certain Counties of the State.

By Messrs. Davis of Floyd, Smith of Haralson and others—

House Bill No. 786. A bill to amend Par. 1, Section 1, Art. 7, of the Constitution relative to pensions.

By Messrs. Jackson and Houser of Houston—

House Bill No. 792. A bill to amend an Act to establish a City Court for the County of Houston.

By Mr. Bellah of the 42nd—

Senate Bill No. 189. A bill to create the City Court of Summerville, in Chatooga County.

By Mr. Bellah of the 42nd—

Senate Bill No. 191. A bill to repeal the Act creating the County Court of Chatooga County.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 772. A bill to repeal an Act establishing a system of Public Schools for the Town of Abbeville and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 150, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 773. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Americus.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Boyett of Stewart—

House Bill No. 774. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a school system for the Town of Richland and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. DeFoor of Clayton—

House Bill No. 747. A bill to repeal an Act to incorporate the City of Rex, to provide a government for same, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 140, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Robinson of Macon—

House Bill No. 778. A bill to amend an Act to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Oglethorpe, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Sumner of Wheeler—

House Bill No. 790. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a system of Public Schools in the Town of Alamo, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. David of the 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 148. A bill to amend an Act establishing a charter for the City of Calhoun, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 213. A bill to amend the Charter of the Town of Statham.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 42. A bill to amend Constitution relative to person carrying pistols, etc.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Messrs. Weaver of 11th and Akin of 4th—

Senate Bill No. 86. A bill to permit corporations now incorporated by the State Secretary, except insurance, bank and trust companies, to issue non-par stock.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Weaver of 11th and Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 122. A bill to amend the Code of 1910 so as to make the mother an equal heir with the father, brothers, and sisters of a deceased intestate.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Nix of 51st—

Senate Bill No. 176. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize the State Highway Department.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 182. A bill to prescribe and fix a compensation for the Treasurer of Clayton County and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 185. A bill to create the office of Supervisor of Public Roads in Wayne County and prescribe duties of Ordinary of said County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 186. A bill to abolish County Commissioner of Wayne County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. David of 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 219. A bill to repeal an Act amending road laws of Georgia in Gordon County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Haralson of 40th—

Senate Bill No. 224. A bill to provide additional grounds for revoking licenses of insurance companies doing business in Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Lassiter of 14th—

Senate Bill No. 231. A bill to amend an Act fixing time for holding Supreme Court in the Cordele Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Womble of 25th—

Senate Bill No. 232. A bill requiring persons driving automobiles, etc., to blow horn before entering covered bridges and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Public Highway.

By Mr. Childs of 12th—

Senate Bill No. 237. A bill to repeal an Act establishing public school system in Town of Richland.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 698 was withdrawn from the Committee on Public Highways and recommitted to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 364 was withdrawn from the House.

Mr. Duncan of Hall moved that House Bill No. 12 be taken from the table and placed upon the calendar and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 783 was withdrawn from the House.

The following message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. Blalock:

STATE OF GEORGIA:
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ATLANTA.

July 21st, 1922.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I hand you herewith report, as required by the Constitution of Georgia, showing action taken by me in all clemency matters, including reprieves, probations, paroles, commutations and pardons granted since June 25, 1921.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. HARDWICK, Governor.

STATE OF GEORGIA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
June 28, 1922.

REPORT OF CLEMENCY CASES
REPRIEVE

EARLY BRADLEY: Stephens County, reprieve petitioned by Judge J. B. Jones, Judge Superior Court, Northeastern Judicial Circuit. Respited from July 8, 1921 to August 5, 1921.

JOE JACKSON: Worth County, respited from December 16, 1921 to January 6, 1922 at request of the Prison Commission for more time to investigate

application for commutation of sentence to life imprisonment.

WILL LUMPKIN: Berrien County, respited from January 6, 1922 to January 27, 1922, and again from January 20, 1922 to February 26, 1922 at request of Prison Commission for more time to consider his application for commutation to life imprisonment.

R. LANIER & J. M. HARLEY: Chatham County, sentence suspended for thirty days from May 12, 1922 and for an additional thirty days from June 12, 1922 to allow Prison Commission more time for consideration of application for clemency.

JOHN THOMPSON: Clarke County, Prison Commission requested respite for thirty days. Reprieved for thirty days from May 19, 1922.

FRANK JONES: Chatham County, sentenced to be hung June 9, 1922. At the request of the trial Judge and Solicitor, who made showing that applicant had paralysis and had only a very short time to live, and that it would be a disgrace to the law of Georgia to hang a man in such physical condition, respited for sixty days from May 29, 1922 in order to make full investigation into commutation of sentence.

JOHN THOMPSON: Clarke County, Prison Commission having declined to recommend executive clemency in this case, reprieved from June 14, 1922 to July 7, 1922 in order for Governor to have time to consider the case.

VOGUE LAMAR: Fulton County, Prison Commission having declined application for clemency, and Governor desiring to have more time to consider the same, reprieved from June 21, 1922 to July 21, 1922.

LUDIE RILEY: Dougherty County, sentence suspended from June 21, 1922 until July 21, 1922 in order for Governor to have time to consider the application.

PROBATIONS

B. J. Dasher, City Court Liberty County, July Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. Upon recommendation of Prison Commission probated on July 8, 1921.

IVORY PEAL: City Court, Dublin, March Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. Upon recommendation of Judge, Solicitor, County Commissioners, and Prison Commission, probated July 12, 1921 upon payment of fine of \$75.

JAKE YALLEDY: City Court Lowndes County, violation prohibition law. Upon recommendation of Judge and Solicitor, and having served all but six weeks of his sentence, probated on July 25, 1921.

ERIC MAY AND DICK KER: Fulton Superior Court, January Term 1921, robbery. 12 and 12 months or \$200 in one case. Upon recommendation of Prison Commission allowed to pay fine and serve remainder of sentence on probation. July 29, 1921.

H. L. JOLLY: City Court Polk County, March Term 1921, violating prohibition law. 12 months. Upon recommendation of Prison Commission, probated on Sept. 6, 1921.

JIM EVANS: Harris Superior Court, January Term, 1920. Violating prohibition law. 12 months. Upon recommendation of many citizens of Harris County and the Prison Commission, probated Oct. 3, 1921.

ANDREW D. BARBOUR: City Court of Savannah, July Term 1918, violating prohibition law. 12 months. Recommended by Solicitor and Jury, also Prison Commission. Probated Nov. 17, 1921.

L. A. LELOACH: City Court of Macon. December Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. 12 months or \$750. Recommended by Prison Commission. Fined \$100 and probated Dec. 15, 1921.

R. G. MICHAEL: City Court of Macon. December 1921. Violating prohibition law. 10 months or \$500. Recommended by Prison Commission. Fined \$100 and probated, Dec. 15, 1921.

R. G. MICHAEL: City Court of Macon. December 1921. Carrying concealed weapons. Recommended by Prison Commission. Fined \$100 and probated Dec. 15, 1921.

JERRY THORPE: Houston Superior Court. November Term 1920. Selling liquor. 15 months. Recommended by trial Judge, Solicitor and County authorities, also by Prison Commission. Also is in bad physical condition. Probated December 10, 1921.

WILLIAM DORSEY: Baldwin Superior Court. June Term 1921. Misdemeanor. 9 months or \$100 and 3 months. Recommended on account of having tuberculosis, by Prison Commission, Judge, Solicitor, Sheriff, County Commissioners, Warden and the prosecutor in the case. Probated December 8, 1921.

PETER SIMON: City Court of Savannah. August Term 1921. Larceny. 12 months. Goods stolen amounted to only \$3.00. Recommended by Prison Commission. Probated Dec. 10, 1921.

ALBERT BUTLER: City Court of Valdosta. January Term 1921. Carrying concealed weapons. 12 months. Bad physical condition and recommendation of County Commissioners, Physician and Solicitor and Prison Commission. Probated on Dec. 10, 1921.

J. J. COOK: Gordon Superior Court, August Term 1921. Violating prohibition law, 6 months and fine of \$76. Recommended by Solicitor, Sheriff, many Citizens and Prison Commission. Probated and fined \$76. December 10, 1921.

O. H. BRADY, WELDON PHILLIPS, AND H. HOLLOWAY: Criminal Division, Atlanta Court. Fall Term 1921, possessing liquor. 8 months each. Recommended by Prison Commission. Fined \$25 each and probated January 18, 1922.

AMOS WILKES: Wilkes Superior Court. February Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. 12 months or 6 months and \$350. Served all but 6

weeks. Recommended by Judge and Prison Commission. Probated January 6, 1922.

ENOCH PATTERSON: Fannin Superior Court. October Term 1921. Wife beating. 12 months. Recommended by Prison Commission. Probated January 16, 1922.

JOHN JACKSON AND SCOTT DOWDY: Taliaferro Superior Court. September Term 1921. Larceny. 9 months. Recommended on account of new evidence. Probated March 8, 1922.

H. P. HOWARD: Chatham Superior Court, July Term 1921. Receiving stolen goods. 12 months. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, and Prison Commission. Probated March 8, 1922.

JOHN INGRAM: City Court Polk County. Violating prohibition law. 12 months or \$500. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, Sheriff, and Prison Commission. Probated March 29, 1922.

MAHALA AND LIZZIE SAPP: Appling Superior Court. October Term 1921. Vagrancy. 12 months each. Recommended by Prison Commission. Probated April 12, 1922.

JOHN DALTON: Catoosa Superior Court. February Term 1921. Assault to rape. 12 months. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, many citizens and Prison Commission. Probated April 12, 1922.

WM. L. DANIEL: Gwinnett Superior Court. March Term 1922. Stealing ride on train. 3 months. Recommended by Prison Commission. Probated April 4, 1922.

ALICE, SUSIE AND CARRIE WEAVER: City Court of Jesup, July Term 1921. Vagrancy. Recommended by Judge and Prison Commission. Probated April 17, 1922.

GEORGE ALLEN: Bibb Superior Court. June Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. 12 months or 6 months and \$400. Recommended by Solicitor and Prison Commission. Probated April 17, 1922.

W. J. FAULKNER: Monroe Superior Court. November Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. 12 months. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, County Commissioners and the Prison Commission. Probated May 3, 1922.

GAINES BIEVINS: Walker Superior Court. February Term 1922. Violating prohibition law. 12 months. Recommended by Judge and Prison Commission. Probated on June 13, 1922.

J. W. NIX: Berrien Superior Court. March Term 1921. Violating prohibition law. 12 months. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, and other officers. Also by Prison Commission. Probated June 5, 1922.

ADAM HARBOUR: City Court of Rome. March Term 1922. Having liquor. 9 months. Recommended by trial Judge and Jury and Prison Commission. Probated June 6, 1922.

JIM RIGGINS: Floyd Superior Court. January Term 1922. Receiving stolen goods. 12 months. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, and Prison Commission. Probated June 6, 1922.

MATTIE KUGLAR: Fulton Superior Court. May Term 1922. Violating prohibition law. 8 months. Pardoned June 20, 1922 account of recommendations and necessity of caring for 7 small children, and payment of fine of \$50.

R. M. COLE: Douglas Superior Court, March Term 1921; Manufacturing liquor. 12 months or \$700; account of recommendation of trial Judge and other officials, and time already served, probated June 22, 1922.

PAROLES

Every application for parole was recommended by the Prison Commission.

A. J. HILL: Muscogee Superior Court, May 1916; Murder; life. Paroled July 11, 1921, in view of recommendation of Solicitor-General.

ZEDDIE PATTERSON: Ware Superior Court. May Term 1916. Murder; life. Paroled July 13, 1921.

J. R. JENKINS: Muscogee Superior Court. December Term 1914. Murder; life. Paroled July 18, 1921 on account of doubt of applicant and strong recommendation of Solicitor.

T. Q. IRWIN: Pike Superior Court. February Term 1918. Manslaughter; 12 years. Paroled July 19, 1921 on account of Judge and Solicitor's recommendation.

W. L. DARBY: Toombs Superior Court, Novem-

ber Term 1916. Manslaughter; 5 years. Paroled July 29, 1921, recommended by all trial jurors, Judge, Solicitor, and all officials of the County.

BERT PUTNAM: Gwinnett Superior Court. ber Term 1919; manslaughter; 5 to 10 years. Paroled Aug. 2, 1921. Recommended by all County officials.

B. H. M'WHORTER: Fulton Superior Court. November Term 1918. Larceny of auto; 5 years. Paroled August 4, 1921. Strongly recommended by Judge.

A. C. DANZY: Crisp Superior Court. July Term 1919. Larceny; 3 years. Paroled August 4, 1921. Recommended by Judge, Jury, Solicitor, prosecutor and county officials.

D. W. WEBSTER: Crisp Superior Court. July Term 1919. Larceny; 3 years. Paroled August 4, 1921. Recommended by Judge, Jury, Solicitor, prosecutor and county officials.

J. B. KING: Fulton Superior Court. May Term 1919. Larceny; 3 years. Paroled August 4, 1921. Recommended by trial Judge and Solicitor.

SAMUEL SHELTON: Richmond Superior Court. May Term 1920. Larceny of automobile; 2 years. Paroled August 11, 1921. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, and county officials.

ZACK ALLEN: Irwin Superior Court. May Term 1917. Assault to murder; 7 years. Paroled August 12, 1921.

ALLEN D. INMAN: Burke Superior Court, April Term 1915. Murder; life. Paroled August 29, 1921. Applicant 67 years old and in very poor health. Recommended by trial Judge, Solicitor, all of trial Jury and numerous citizens.

HEARD STOWE: Hall Superior Court, January Term 1922. Murder; life. Paroled on August 29, 1921 account of recommendation of Grand Jury and trial Jury, also by trial Judge.

M. E. SCOGGINS: Floyd Superior Court. August Term 1919, manslaughter; 12 years. Paroled August 30, 1921.

JOHN JONES: Elbert Superior Court, March Term 1907. Murder; life. Paroled on August 30, 1921 on account of recommendation of Grand Jurors and trial Jurors, and the service rendered the State in capturing escaped prisoners.

WASH DEAN: Houston Superior Court. October Term 1912. Murder; life. Paroled August 31, 1921 account of strong endorsement of Judge, Jury and Solicitor.

GEORGE GOOLSBY: Upson Superior Court. February Term 1910. Murder; life. Paroled September 1, 1921 on account of doubt of guilt of applicant.

E. G. WOMACK: Campbell Superior Court. February Term 1919. Manslaughter; 12 years. Paroled September 7, 1921. Strongly recommended by all officials.

FOSTER CAWTHORN: Jackson Superior Court. August term 1917; assault to murder; 6 years. Paroled September 7, 1921, account of applicant's good character and numerous recommendations.

WILL WALKER: Sumter Superior Court; November Term 1916; murder; life. Paroled September 8, 1921 account of extreme old age of applicant, 62 years.

GORDON RAY: Cherokee Superior Court; February Term 1918; manslaughter; 10 years. Served more than minimum sentence. Paroled September 9, 1921.

W. C. SMITH: Fulton Superior Court; September Term, 1919; manslaughter; 5 to 10 years. Paroled September 10, 1921, account condition of his helpless and penniless wife and 3 children.

OSCAR G. RIGGS: Gilmer Superior Court; October Term 1917; murder; life. Paroled September 20, 1921. Recommended by all county officials and prosecutor.

W. J. McNAUGHTON: Emanuel Superior Court; October Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled September 21, 1921 account of doubt of guilt of applicant and numerous recommendations of officials and citizens.

JOHN W. LEAKE: Fulton Superior Court. May Term 1916; burglary; 10 years. Paroled September 26, 1921. Party jointly indicted with ap-

plicant was given new trial and sentenced for 12 months. Applicant had served over 5 years.

MITCHELL TAYLOR: Muscogee Superior Court; November Term 1901; murder; life. Paroled September 28, 1921. Had served more than 20 years with good record.

WILL GREEN: Upson Superior Court; November Term 1915; Bestiality; 12 years. Paroled September 29, 1921. Had served over 6 years and had strong recommendations.

TALLEY HALL: Coffee Superior Court; September Term 1917; larceny; 4 years. Paroled September 30, 1921. Had completed all but a few months of his sentence.

EVERETT DUNCAN: Grady Superior Court; rape; 8 years. February Term 1919. Very technical and doubtful case. Paroled October 3, 1921.

MUSS LINDER: Hart Superior Court. April Term 1913; manslaughter; 20 years. Paroled October 5, 1921. Killing occurred in negro gambling game, defendant claimed self-defense. Strongly recommended.

JIM REEVES: Pickens Superior Court; October Term 1918; manslaughter; 6 years. Paroled October 14, 1921 account of conflicting evidence and recommendations by Judge and other officials.

COLUMBIA CAMPBELL: Jenkins Superior Court; September Term 1915; attempt to murder;

10 years. Applicant old and very feeble, had served over 5 years. Recommended by trial Judge.

ALBERT JORDAN: Hart Superior Court; October Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled October 24, 1921, Prison record good, recommended by Judge, Jury and prosecutor.

WILLIE GASTON: Chatham Superior Court; December Term 1919; burglary; 3 to 7 years. Paroled October 25, 1921. Strongly recommended.

JOHN ALEXANDER: Hall Superior Court; May Term 1920; manslaughter; 2 to 3 years. Paroled November 7, 1921. Recommended by Judge, entire Jury, Sheriff, and other officials and citizens.

ISAAC NAPP: Morgan Superior Court; September Term 1908; murder; life. Paroled on November 12, 1921.

CHARLEY KENDALL: Taylor Superior Court; January Term 1916; murder; life. Paroled November 12, 1921, account of new evidence.

LOONEY SHROPSHIRE: Fayette Superior Court; September Term 1915; manslaughter; 20 years. Account of extreme youth of applicant and recommendations. Paroled November 16, 1921.

GEORGE T. THRASHER: Fulton Superior Court; May Term 1920; larceny; 3 years. Paroled November 16, 1921, Jury recommended misdemeanor punishment and he had served longer than misdemeanor sentence.

J. B. SIKES: Evans Superior Court; October Term 1917; manslaughter; 10 years. Paroled December 10, 1921. Applicant was only 17 years old when crime was committed. Served 4 years of sentence. Recommended by large number of citizens and officials.

SOL BROWN: Pierce Superior Court; May Term 1913; murder; life. Paroled December 10, 1921. Applicant had good character and made splendid prison record.

MARY RANSOM: Dooley Superior Court; February Term 1918; manslaughter; life. Paroled December 8, 1921. Prison Record good, recommended by Solicitor and many others.

J. S. & GRIGGS BAILEY: Miller Superior Court; April Term 1919; receiving stolen goods. 5 and 3½ years. Paroled December 8, 1921. Applicants are white men who previously bore good characters. Have served two years.

WILLIAM STEVENS: Pulaski Superior Court; March Term 1905; murder; life. Paroled December 8, 1921, recommended by warden and many County officials.

BEST ARMSTRONG: Houston Superior Court; April Term 1916; murder; life. Paroled December 8, 1921. Prison record good, recommended by trial Judge and others.

MARY ANDERSON: Terrell Superior Court; May Term 1916; murder; life. Paroled November

30, 1921; had served 5 years. Strongly recommended.

BEN CRUMLEY: Terrell Superior Court; May Term 1913; murder; life. Paroled November 30, 1921 account of conflicting evidence and recommendation of trial Jury.

TOM RUSSELL: Richmond Superior Court; September Term 1916; robbery; 10 years. Paroled November 25, 1921. Applicant denied his guilt. Strongly recommended by trial Judge, Solicitor, Warden, county officials and many citizens.

JACK ELROD: Habersham Superior Court; March Term 1908; murder; life. Paroled November 30, 1921. Another man admitted he did this killing. Recommended by trial Judge.

R. S. ELLIOTT: Berrien Superior Court; April Term 1912. Assault to murder; 6 years. Paroled November 26, 1921, Strongly recommended by prosecutor (man who was shot) also by Judge and Jury.

CLIFF BYRD: Quitman Superior Court, March Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled November 28, 1921. Strongly recommended.

JOHN O. GARTRELL: Fulton Superior Court; March Term 1920; larceny of auto; 5 years. Paroled December 29, 1921. account of insufficient evidence and applicant's prior good character.

RALPH MILLER: Spalding Superior Court; August Term 1905; murder; life. Paroled Decem-

ber 29, 1921. Has served 16 years with good record. Recommended by Judge, Jury, Solicitor.

WALTER TAYLOR: Heard Superior Court; September Term 1913; murder; life. Paroled December 17, 1921. Had served 8 years. Recommended by prominent citizens, familiar with the case.

TOM GORE: Bartow Superior Court. July Term 1919; murder; life. Paroled December 17, 1921, account of youth of applicant when crime was committed. 14 years.

WALTER RAGAN: Grady Superior Court; November Term 1919; larceny; 3 to 4 years. Paroled December 17, 1921. Had served 2 years for hog stealing. In very bad physical condition.

JOHN W. WRIGHT: Fulton Superior Court; May Term 1919; larceny of auto; 5 years. Paroled December 19, 1921. Had served 2 years with good record. Recommended by prosecutor.

CLARENCE PRYOR: Pike Superior Court; December Term 1920; manufacturing liquor; 3 years. Paroled January 4, 1922. Recommended by trial Judge and Solicitor.

LOU BELL SMITH: Macon Superior Court; May term 1917; manslaughter; 5 years. Paroled December 20, 1921.

JIM COLEMAN: Wilcox Superior Court; January Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled December 22, 1921, strongly recommended by trial Judge.

GARFIELD JONES: Lowndes Superior Court; May term 1912; rape; 15 years. Paroled January 19, 1922; Has served 9 years with good record.

RANDOLPH MOSELEY: Emanuel Superior Court; April Term 1911; murder; life; paroled January 17, 1922; had served 10 years with good conduct; evidence was circumstantial and applicant always denied his guilt.

CLAUDE MALONE: Bartow Superior Court; January Term 1917; burglary; 10 years; paroled January 17, 1922; had served 5 years with good conduct. Recommended by all trial officials.

BOISE GOLDMAN: Richmond Superior Court; June Term 1915; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; evidence conflicting; strongly recommended by trial Judge.

LIGE HARRIS: Wilkes Superior Court; November Term 1917; manslaughter; 8 years. Paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by Judge, Solicitor, trial Jury, Warden, and County Commissioners.

ED YOUNG: Richmond Superior Court; November Term 1916; robbery; 10 years; paroled April 17, 1922; had served over 5 years with good record.

JABUS PASCHAL: Wilkes Superior Court; November Term 1909; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922.

ENNIS McDONALD: Calhoun Superior Court; August Term 1918; manslaughter; 9 months;

paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by trial Jurors, Judge, and large number of citizens.

ALLEN LINDSEY: Glynn Superior Court; May term 1912; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by Jury, Solicitor and large number of citizens.

IVY KAYLOR: Sumter Superior Court; November Term 1914; manslaughter; 4 years. Paroled April 17, 1922; account of distressing circumstances of his family.

BILL JOHNSON: Carroll Superior Court; April Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by Jury, Judge and Solicitor.

CLAUDE JACKSON: Jasper Superior Court; murder; life; August Term 1914. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by Jury, Judge and Solicitor.

LUCIUS HOWARD: Putnam Superior Court; March Term 1913; manslaughter; 20 years. Paroled April 17, 1922; prior good character and good prison record; served 9 years, which is considerably longer than the average term given in manslaughter cases.

ROBERT GREEN: Chattooga Superior Court; March Term 1915; burglary; 15 years. Paroled April 27, 1922; recommended by prosecutor, Judge and others.

WILL REYNOLDS: Chattooga Superior Court; March Term 1915; burglary; 15 years. Paroled April 27, 1922; recommended by prosecutor, Judge and others.

WILLIE SUMMERLIN: Cobb Superior Court; March term 1911; murder; life. Paroled April 27, 1922; had served more than 10 years, recommended by trial Judge and Solicitor.

HENRY GOINGS: Montgomery Superior Court; February Term 1915; murder; life. Paroled April 28, 1922; recommended by all trial jurors, Judge and others.

MELTON MATHIS: Worth Superior Court; September Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled May 1, 1922; recommended by Judge, Jurors, Solicitor and numerous citizens.

THOS. E. BUTLER: Muscogee Superior Court; February Term 1921; burglary; 2 years. Paroled April 29, 1922; had served more than 1 year, the minimum for burglary. Recommended by prosecutor, Judge, Solicitor, and others.

MALACHIE WILLIAMS: Emanuel Superior Court; January Term 1917; manslaughter; 15 years; more than served minimum sentence. Paroled May 5, 1922.

NOVA MOORE: Spalding Superior Court; January Term 1913; murder; life. Paroled May 9, 1922; numerous petitions for parole in this case.

BESSIE CASHION: Burke Superior Court; October Term 1913; murder; life. Paroled May 18, 1922; recommended by trial Judge and Solicitor.

CLIFF NEWTON: Madison Superior Court; January Term 1919; manslaughter; 15 years. Paroled

May 18, 1922; recommended by Judge, Solicitor and numerous officials.

M. H. MAYFIELD: Walker Superior Court; September Term 1917; manslaughter; 8 years. Paroled May 17, 1922; had served more than 4 years.

NAPOLEON WASHINGTON: Fulton Superior Court; January Term 1919; robbery; 10 to 20 years. Paroled May 18, 1922; because of his previous good record and his youth, also recommendations of Judge and Solicitor.

HENRY DAVIS: Fulton Superior Court; June Term 1920; burglary; 3 years; Paroled May 18, 1922; had served 2 years; evidence was circumstantial.

J. P. McINTYRE: Fulton Superior Court; October Term 1919; attempt to murder; 4 to 5 years. Paroled April 14, 1922; recommended by trial Judge, Solicitor; and large number of citizens.

MOSE WILLIAMS: Fulton Superior Court; May term 1919; burglary; 5 years; paroled May 19, 1922; strongly recommended.

PLEAS DOSS: Grady Superior Court; March Term 1921; assault to murder; 2 to 4 years. Paroled May 18, 1922 on account of recommendations of Judge, Jury.

EULA WILLIAMS: Morgan Superior Court; March Term 1912; murder; life. Paroled April 1, 1922; had served ten years recommended by Judge and Solicitor.

JOE BOYD & WILL MORGAN: Pike Superior Court; December Term 1920; manufacturing liquor; 3 years. Paroled March 30, 1922; account of prior good character and strong recommendations.

WILLIE COLSON: Fulton Superior Court; February Term 1921; larceny of auto; 2 years. Paroled March 30, 1922; had served nearly whole sentence; recommended by prosecutor.

MINNIE HARTLEY: Chatham Superior Court; March Term 1917; robbery; 15 years. Paroled March 30, 1922; joint applicants swear she had nothing to do with this robbery, which amounted to \$4.80. Served 5 years.

JAKE DANIEL: Cobb Superior Court; September Term 1919; burglary; 10 to 15 years. Paroled March 29, 1922; recommended by Judge, Solicitor and prosecutor.

LILLY HEAD: Henry Superior Court; April Term 1913; manslaughter; 20 years; Paroled March 28, 1922; had served 9 years which is much above average for the crime.

MARY CAGE: Rockdale Superior Court; October Term 1916; manslaughter; 15 years; paroled April 3, 1922; had served 5 years; largely recommended.

WILLIE DAVIS: Muscogee Superior Court; November Term 1920; burglary; 5 to 10 years. Paroled April 12, 1922; recommended by prosecutor and trial Judge.

A. B. JONES: Hart Superior Court; April Term 1911; rape; 20 years; paroled April 12, 1922; had served more than 10 years; also account of new evidence introduced.

LOUIS JOHNSON: Fulton Superior Court; January Term 1920; burglary; 5 to 10 years. Paroled April 18, 1922; account of applicant's age, 2 years service, recommendation of prosecutors, Judge, Solicitor, and other officials.

LEWIS FAIN: Floyd Superior Court; July Term 1908; murder; life; paroled April 5, 1922; had served 13 years with good record.

ED WATSON: September Term 1917; Fulton Superior Court; burglary; 10 years. Paroled April 10, 1922; applicant was held in jail 1 year by mistake or failure of Clerk to certify conviction. Served $3\frac{1}{2}$ years with good record.

GRADY WARD: Walton Superior Court; February Term 1920; shooting at another; 2 to 4 years; trial Judge and prosecutor join in recommendation.

CHARLEY CARTER: Early Superior Court; October Term 1915; manslaughter; 16 years. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by trial jury.

EARNEST HOUSE: Bartow Superior Court; Fall Term 1913; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922.

CURLEY MONTGOMERY: Lee Superior Court; May Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by trial Jury.

JOHN H. CHANCEY: Decatur Superior Court; Fall Term 1915; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by Judge, Jury and large number of citizens and officials.

P. C. AND WALLACE FUTCH: Tattnall Superior Court; April Term 1911; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by large number of citizens, Jury, Solicitor, and other officials.

JOE WOODS: Bulloch Superior Court; December Term 1911; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by Judge, Solicitor and other officials and citizens.

JIM MANN: Walton Superior Court; August Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by Judge and Solicitor; had served 12 years.

SHADWICK WEBB: Early Superior Court; April term 1913; murder; life. Paroled April 17, 1922; recommended by jury and many citizens.

GEORGE STARK: Pike Superior Court; December Term 1920; manufacturing liquor; 3 years; paroled April 17, 1922; all others engaged in this transaction have either been pardoned or paroled. Recommended by Judge and Solicitor.

MAJOR SMITH: Chattahoochee Superior Court; March Term 1915; murder; life, recommended by Solicitor General. Paroled December 20, 1921.

JEFF MORGAN: Hall Superior Court; July Term 1905; murder; life. Paroled December 20,

1921; had served 16 years; recommended by Judge and jurors.

BEN HIGGS: Ware Superior Court; December Term 1915; murder; life. paroled December 20, 1921.

WILL SHEPPARD: Montgomery Superior Court; May Term 1915; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by Solicitor.

CHARLEY PITTS: Stephens Superior Court; September Term 1916; murder; life. Paroled December 21, 1921 account of prior good character and recommendations of trial Judge and Solicitor.

GEORGE BUTLER: Fulton Superior Court; January Term 1914; robbery; 15 years. Paroled December 21, 1921 account of recommendation of trial Jury, Judge and Solicitor.

JOAN HINES: Decatur Superior Court; May term 1903; murder; life. Paroled on December 22, 1921; had served 18 years.

JOHN CANTRELL: Cherokee Superior Court; May Term 1918; burglary; 12 years. Paroled December 21, 1921; recommended by prosecutor and officials; had wife and 3 children in very destitute circumstances.

L. M. LAMAR: Richmond Superior Court; May Term 1914; sodomy; life. Paroled on February 7, 1922; recommended by Judge and Solicitor; has served 8 years.

CAPE SAPPINGTON: Fulton Superior Court;

March Term 1907; murder; life. Paroled January 30, 1922; had served 15 years and protested his innocence.

J. H. MULLING: Washington Superior Court; September Term 1916; manslaughter; 10 years. Paroled January 26, 1922; recommended by prosecutor, and all county officials.

A. J. BUNDRICK: Dooly Superior Court; March Term 1903; murder; life. Paroled February 10, 1922, had served 20 years, his brother having already been hung for same crime; recommended by trial Judge, Solicitor, Jury and other officials.

ELLIE MATTHEWS: Clarke Superior Court; April Term 1917; assault to rape. Paroled February 21, 1922; had served 5 years; recommended by prosecutor, Judge, Jury, and other officials.

S. C. BRADLEY: Fulton Superior Court; January Term 1917; robbery; 10 years. Paroled February 21, 1922; in view of extreme youth of prisoner at time of crime, and that he had served more than 4 years with good record; also in view of recommendation of Judge, Jury.

CHARLEY CHANCE: Colquitt Superior Court; October Term 1917; assault to rape; 16 years. Paroled February 27, 1922 account of prosecutor who says she was forced to swear against him.

F. A. HULSEY: Fulton Superior Court; January Term 1921; burglary; 2 to 10 years. Paroled March 3, 1922 because of deplorable physical con-

dition and applicant and his entire disability to perform any sort of manual labor.

M. J. GREENE: Fulton Superior Court; Spring term 1920; larceny of auto; 5 years. Paroled March 3, 1922; recommended by prosecutor, Solicitor, and Judge.

DAVE BATTLE: DeKalb Superior Court; June term 1916; burglary; 15 years. Paroled March 4, 1922; case was technical and money was recovered. Recommended by Judge Solicitor, Warden, Sheriff, and many citizens.

FANNIE HART: Clinch Superior Court; March Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled March 7, 1922; strongly recommended.

WILL UPSHAW: Troup Superior Court; February Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled March 8, 1922; had served 12 years with good record; recommended by prosecutor and others.

MACK LEE: Terrell Superior Court; January Term 1911; murder; life. Paroled April 1, 1922; had served 11 years; large petition from Terrell County recommending clemency.

ROBT. OWENS: Houston Superior Court; October Term 1914; murder; life; recommended by trial Judge, and Jurors.

ANDREW BRUCE: Stewart Superior Court; October Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921. Served more than 10 years; strongly recommended.

JERRY HURST: Laurens Superior Court; January Term 1916; murder; life; previous good character, strongly recommended. Paroled December 20, 1921.

CLARENCE GILBERT: Fulton Superior Court; January Term 1919; burglary; 10 years. Paroled December 20, 1921, account recommendation of misdemeanor punishment by jury, also recommended by Judge and Solicitor.

CHARLEY FAYSON: Johnson Superior Court; September Term 1913; manslaughter; 20 years. Paroled December 20, 1921; account of previous good character and time he has already served.

TOM TAYLOR: Crawford Superior Court; October Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921. Had served more than 11 years; recommended by trial Judge.

WILL ELLIS: Bibb Superior Court; Fall Term 1907; burglary; 20 years; paroled December 20, 1921; had served more than 13 years on this sentence with good record.

CARL SHELTON: Floyd Superior Court; January Term 1916; robbery; 12 years. Paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by large number of officers and citizens.

DAN CRAWFORD: Ware Superior Court; November Term 1897; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; had served more than 18 years with good record.

JOHN ZACHARY: Heard Superior Court; September Term 1910; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by Judge, Jury, all officials and many citizens.

WILL ZELLARS: Glynn Superior Court; May Term 1915; murder; life. Paroled on December 20, 1921; recommended by Solicitor and Jury.

JOE SCRUTCHEMS: Bartow Superior Court; January Term 1917; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; Solicitor recommends Scrutchens guilty only of involuntary man-slaughter.

C. W. COWART: Clinch Superior Court; March Term 1919; incest; 20 years. Recommended by large number of citizens and officials. Paroled December 20, 1921.

DAISY SLAUGHTER: Putnam Superior Court; September Term 1920; manslaughter; 5 to 6 years. Paroled December 20, 1921; prior record and prison record both good.

JOE WAKEFIELD: Early Superior Court; October Term 1908; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; served more than 13 years with good record.

CHARLEY LASEUR: Pike Superior Court; April Term 1917; burglary; 10 years. Paroled December 20, 1921; had made excellent record; strongly recommended by prosecutor and others.

MONROE SLAUGHTER: Bibb Superior Court; January Term 1914; murder; life. Paroled Decem-

ber 20, 1921; Recommended by Judge and other officials.

JIM WILLIAMS: Dougherty Superior Court; March Term 1907; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; had served more than 14 years; physical condition poor.

BARNEY SIMMONS: Colquitt Superior Court; June Term 1916; burglary; 8 years. Paroled December 22, 1921; recommended by Jury and prosecutor.

MRS. STELLA ABBOTT: Fulton Superior Court. June term 1920; manslaughter; 4 to 8 years; paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by officials and large number of citizens of all classes; prison record excellent.

LIGE HARRIS: Crisp Superior Court; Term 1909; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; served more than 11 years; recommended by Judge and Officials.

DALLAS BARBER: Butts Superior Court; March Term 1911; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by Judge, Solicitor and many officials.

JACK DRISCOLL: Putnam Superior Court; November Term 1916; manslaughter; 10 years. Paroled December 20, 1921; recommended by Judge, Jury, and Solicitor.

GEORGE MARCHMAN: Colquitt Superior

Court; April Term 1912; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921.

JOHNSON HARRIS: Crisp Superior Court; May Term 1911; murder; life. Paroled December 20, 1921.

LESTER MASSEY: Fulton Superior Court; Sept. Term 1919; burglary 3 years, paroled May 29, 1922.

DAN DIXON: McIntosh Superior Court; Dec. Term 1915; manslaughter; 19 years; paroled May 29, 1922; recommended by many officials and citizens.

TINY HILL: Carroll Superior Court; Spring term 1918; manslaughter-7 years; had served more than 4 years; claimed self-defense; paroled May 21, 1922.

PERRY LUNDY: Meriwether Superior Court; Aug. Term 1915; murder-life; paroled June 1, 1922; recommended by Judge and Solicitor.

JOHN LEWIS: Hancock Superior Court; March term 1919; manslaughter-5 years; paroled June 1, 1922; had served more than 3 years and paroled, recommended by Judge, Jury and many relatives of deceased.

BESSIE GALE: Glynn Superior Court; Jan. term 1903; murder-life; paroled June 1, 1922; had served over 19 years with good record.

GENE WEST: Randolph Superior Court; Nov. term 1920; burglary-2 to 3 years; paroled June 2,

1922; applicant having served more than 1 year and trial Jury having recommended misdemeanor punishment.

LICK DAVENPORT: Harris Superior Court; April term 1918; manslaughter-10 years; paroled June 8, 1922; account of new evidence.

JOHN ROBINSON: Douglas Superior Court; March term 1913; murder-life; paroled June 7, 1922; had served with good record, paroled, recommended account of new evidence.

JOE SMITH: Muscogee Superior Court; March term 1921; burglary—2 years; paroled June 5, 1922; account of showing made that applicant took crime on himself to shield his brother.

ANDREW SCOTT: Spalding Superior Court; Jan. term 1912; murder-life; paroled June 5, 1922; recommended by trial Jury, Solicitor and many citizens.

W. C. VAUGHN: Elbert Superior Court; Dec. term 1919; larceny of auto, 4 to 5 years, paroled June 5, 1922; recommended by prosecutor and officials.

F. D. O'ROURKE: Fulton Superior Court; March term 1920; larceny—4 to 10 years; paroled June 5, 1922; recommended by prosecutor and officials.

MARION PARKER: Burke Superior Court; April term 1907; murder-life; paroled June 5, 1922; strongly recommended.

EVERETT MONTGOMERY: Emanuel Superior Court; April term 1909; murder-life; paroled June 5, 1922; strongly recommended.

MOSE JOHNSON: Baker Superior Court; March term 1910; murder-life; paroled June 5, 1922; had served 11 years; recommended by large number of citizens.

LINDSEY JENKINS: Appling Superior Court; Sept. term 1910; murder-life; paroled June 5, 1922; had served more than 11 years with good record.

RANCE FEARS: Jasper Superior Court; Feb. term 1916; murder-life; paroled on June 5, 1922; strongly recommended by all officials.

CELIA THOMAS: Cobb Superior Court; March term 1912; murder-life; paroled June 5, 1922; had served more than 10 years; recommended by Judge, Jury and other officials.

BUD EVANS: Butts Superior Court; Fall term 1912; murder; life; paroled June 21, 1922 account of new evidence.

W. L. COX: Fulton Superior Court; Jan. term 1920; larceny of auto; 5 years; paroled June 22, 1922.

J. W. WHITE: Richmond Superior Court; April term 1921; manslaughter; 3 years; paroled June 23, 1922; recommended by trial judge and solicitor.

LON DEAN: Elbert Superior Court; Sept. term 1916; manslaughter; 15 years; paroled June 27, 1922.

COMMUTATION ORDERS

Every application for commutation except the following three were recommended by the Prison Commission: Reed Butler, Sam Rhodes and Chas. B. Swords.

OBIE HART: Bibb Superior Court; July term 1920; violating prohibition law; 4 months and \$250. Commuted to fine of \$125 after four months service.

JOE JAMES: Twiggs Superior Court; August term 1919; murder; hang; commuted to life imprisonment. In addition, trial Judge and Solicitor state that man was of lowest mental character and they doubted the wisdom of hanging him. Trial Judge stated if it had been in his power he would have sentenced him to life imprisonment.

JUDSON BLANCHARD & MARSHALL BLANCHARD: Early Superior Court; Oct. term 1919; larceny; 2 to 3 years and 12 months, and 12 and 12 months. Commuted July 16, 1921 account of recommendation of trial jury, character of applicants, and circumstances of the crime and trial.

HANSELL EVANS: Thomas Superior Court; Dec. Term 1920; larceny; 12 months; commuted July 16, 1921 account of length of time served and doubt of defendant's guilt.

C. L. MAULDIN: Fulton Superior Court; August term 1918; robbery; 5 years; commuted July 20, 1921 account of mental condition of applicant who had been confined in the State Sanitarium on

two occasions, and recommendation of trial Jury of misdemeanor punishment.

WILL ST. CLAIR: Bibb Superior Court; Dec. term 1920; driving auto while intoxicated; 12 months or \$750; 8 months or \$200 and 5 months of \$150. Commuted to fine of \$500 on August 2, 1921; on account of injury of applicant who was shot through the head by the arresting officer and dangerously wounded, and length of time already served.

JOHN SANDERS: Baldwin Superior Court; July term 1920; larceny; 12 months on gang, 6 months in jail; or \$250 fine. Had served 12 months on gang and some time on jail sentence.

JOHN HALL: Putnam Superior Court; Jan. term 1921; possessing liquor; 12 months or fine of \$25; commuted Aug. 5, 1921; already served 6 months.

MRS. J. W. alias JUANITA WEAVER: Baldwin Superior Court; Jan. term 1921; escaping; commuted to fine of \$40.75 and \$16.67 Aug. 5, 1921.

LEWIS MILLIRONS: Clay Superior Court; Fall term 1908; rape; life; commuted Aug. 11, 1921 account of character of girl assaulted and applicant's good prison record.

D. L. LANGLEY: Colquitt Superior Court; June term 1920; manufacturing liquor; 2 to 3 years; commuted Aug. 13, 1921 account of physical condition of wife of applicant and the time he has already served on sentence.

GEORGE BROWN: City Court of Valdosta; July term 1921; gaming; 12 months; commuted to fine of \$50 Sept. 9, 1921.

SAM OLIVER: Campbell Superior Court; Feb. term 1921; burglary; 10 months; commuted Sept. 2, 1921 account of time already served and inability of applicant to work account of mercurial poisoning.

JIM CAMPBELL: City Court of Cairo; June term 1921; misdemeanor; 6 months; commuted Sept. 20, 1921 account of physical condition occasioned by service in chaingang and recommendation of officials.

FAY HAMILTON: Fulton Superior Court; March term 1920; larceny; 2 to 5 years; commuted Sept. 24, 1921; had served one and $\frac{1}{2}$ years; recommended by all officials and prosecutor.

HOMER C. HARRISON: City Court of Dublin; Dec. term 1920; resisting an officer; 7 months or \$125 Commuted Sept. 28, 1921 upon payment of fine.

R. C. SMITH: Clayton Superior Court; Feb. term 1916; voluntary manslaughter; 15 years; trial Judge sentence applicant to a term of 7 years upon his conviction of manslaughter, but by mistake sentence was entered 15 years. In order to correct this, sentence was commuted Sept. 30, 1921.

ELWOOD ROBINSON: Dodge Superior Court; May term 1910; murder; life; commuted Sept 30, 1921 account of extraordinary heroism and fidelity of this applicant.

E. R. WELLS: Dade Superior Court; Sept. term 1921; violating prohibition law; 3 months; commuted Oct. 17, 1921 upon payment of fine of \$50 and \$150.

W. C. PHILLIPS: Newton Superior Court; Nov. term 1920; violating prohibition law; 12 months and 6 months or \$250 in each case. Had served 12 months commuted to fine of \$50 in each case, Oct. 22, 1921.

JOHN N. BIRCHMORE: Meriwether Superior Court; Sept. term 1916; embezzlement and forgery; 5 and 4 years; had served 6 years, commuted Oct. 24, 1921 account of prior good character and good prison record.

FRANK SMITH: Chatham Superior Court; March term 1916; murder; life; commuted to present service Nov. 15, 1921 because of grave doubt of guilt of applicant.

REED BUTLER: Laurens Superior Court; July term 1912; assault to murder; 10 years; account of doubt of guilt of applicant as expressed by trial judge.

ROBT. NORRIS Alias TRACY FUTCHER: City Court of Greensboro; June term 1921; stealing ride on train; 12 months; commuted Nov. 18, 1921.

DANIEL DAVIS: Fulton Superior Court; June term 1920; shooting at another; 2 to 4 years; commuted Oct. 12, 1921; had served 12 months and jury recommended misdemeanor punishment.

TOMMIE HART: Lowndes Superior Court;

July term 1921; violating prohibition law; 12 months; commuted Dec. 10, 1921.

ED HARRISON: Randolph Superior Court; May term 1920; shooting at another; 1 to 1½ years; commuted Dec. 10, 1921; applicant was a constable and was convicted of shooting a negro. He served more than 8 months and his family is in a pitiable condition.

JOE SPURLIN: Polk Superior Court; August term 1920; larceny and carrying pistol; 12 and 12 months; commuted Dec. 10, 1921 after completion of service of first sentence.

RICHARD STUBBS: Mitchell Superior Court; Sept. term 1921; having liquor; 8 months or \$75 fine; commuted to \$50 pro rata of the original fine after serving 2 months.

J. B. MOSELY: Columbia Superior Court; March term 1921; burglary; 12 months; commuted Dec. 10, 1921 account of recommendation of county officials.

JAMES RUSSELL: City Court of Savannah; June term 1920; receiving stolen goods; 3 to 5 years; commuted after serving more than 1 year. Stolen goods were all recovered, applicant was in poor health.

H. ISDALE: City Court of Dublin; June term 1921; violating prohibition law; 9 months or \$300 and 3 months in jail. Paid fine and served 2 months in jail; commuted Nov. 22, 1921.

CHARLIE PHARR: Wilkes Superior Court; Nov. term 1920; receiving stolen goods; commuted Nov. 29, 1921; evidence showed a very weak case and only a technical case of guilt.

CHARLIE BAILEY: Carrollton City Court; March term 1921; violating prohibition law; 12 months; had served about 8 months; commuted Dec. 8, 1921.

A. J. JOHNSON: Pike Superior Court; April term 1921; larceny of automobile; 12 months; commuted to payment of fine of \$50.

H. M. DURRENCE: Tattnall Superior Court; seduction; 8 years; applicant served in France during April 11, 1918 to Aug. 27, 1919. He was honorably discharged and cited for bravery for service in battle of the Marne. On account of various recommendations for clemency, commuted to fine of \$200 Dec. 16, 1921.

CLINT THORPE: City Court of Dublin; March term 1921; violating prohibition law; 12 months; commuted Dec. 20, 1921 after serving over half of sentence.

JIM AMMONS: Clayton Superior Court; Feb. term 1921; manufacturing liquor; 1 year; commuted Dec. 22, 1921 after serving 9 months.

SAM RHODES: Richmond Superior Court; Nov. term 1914; murder; life; commuted Dec. 21, 1921 account of statement filed by trial jury that account of new evidence they believed defendant not guilty.

W. H. MANIS: Floyd Superior Court; July term 1921; burglary; 6, 6, and 2 months commuted Dec. 20, 1921 to present service, to be discharged Jan. 3, 1922.

ANNIE KEATON: Baker Superior Court; Nov. term 1920; cattle stealing; 12 months; commuted to fine of \$200 including costs, Jan. 3, 1922.

LEVI WIDNER: Miller Superior Court; April term 1920; rape; 3½ to 5 years. This being a technical case, recommendation of jury and large number of officials and citizens is carried out and sentence is commuted to 12 months, which is the misdemeanor sentence for this crime.

CLYDE STRIBLINS: Wilkes Superior Court; Feb. term 1921; manufacturing liquor; 1 to 2 years; account of applicant having served 12 months for similar offense and 5 months of this sentence, his sentence is commuted to present service, Jan. 19, 1922.

J. H. CURL, JR.: City Court of Dublin; Dec. term 1921; misdemeanor; 6 months; commuted to fine of \$75 Jan. 18, 1922.

PAUL CHILDS & FRANK HICKS: Hart Superior Court; Dec. term 1921; violating prohibition law; 6 months and \$300; commuted Jan. 6, 1922 upon payment of fine of \$300 in each case.

CHARLIE BARKER: Pike Superior Court; Dec. term 1920; manufacturing liquor; 3 years; commuted Jan. 5, 1922.

JOE JACKSON: Worth Superior Court; Jan. term 1921; murder; hang; commuted to life imprisonment account of high state of public feeling in Worth County at the time of trial, character of the witnesses testifying against defendant, and petition of various officials and citizens of Worth County, both white and colored.

WILL LUMPKIN: Berrien Superior Court; Sept. term 1920; murder; hang; commuted to life imprisonment Feb. 9, 1922; account of newly discovered evidence concerning bad character of deceased, the recommendation of all officials and trial Jurors.

J. S. JACKSON: Cobb Superior Court; June term 1919; misdemeanor (2 cases) 12 months and \$100 in each case. Under circumstances of this case, the fact that it grew out of one transaction, the fine of \$100 in each case having been paid and more than 2 years having elapsed since the imposition of said sentence, the Prison Commission recommended that sentence be commuted to present service, and same was commuted Feb. 2, 1922.

WALTER WOOTEN: Jeff Davis Superior Court; Feb. term 1918; seduction; 2 and 1/2 years; commuted Feb. 21, 1922; since conviction applicant paid two fines of \$750 and \$250 cash to support child. Prosecutor made affidavit that Wooten should not have been punished.

JACK CRAFT: Hart Superior Court; August term 1921; violating prohibition law; 6 months; commuted to fine of \$300 after serving 4 months.

C. M. ADCOCK: Bartow Superior Court; Jan. term 1922; selling liquor; 6 months and \$100 or 12 months; commuted to 6 months and fine of \$100.

RAYMOND GLASS: Fulton Superior Court; May term 1919; larceny of auto; 5 years commuted to fine of \$500 March 13, 1922.

W. F. SURRETT: Polk Superior Court; Fall term 1921; violating prohibition law; 12 months; commuted to fine of \$25 March 29, 1922.

CHAD WRIGHT: Lee Superior Court; May term 1920; manslaughter; 8 to 10 years; commuted March 29, 1922; variously recommended.

MAMIE CASON, MATTIE DAVIS AND ARETA FLUKER: City Court of Wrightsville; Nov. term 1921; having whiskey; 12 months each; commuted to fine of \$25 each March 29, 1922 on recommendation of trial Judge and Solicitor.

FARRELL TOWERS: Whitfield Superior Court; October term 1921; selling liquor; 6 months or \$50 and 6 months or \$100; commuted to 6 months and fine of \$150 on recommendation of Judge and Solicitor.

JOE ROSS: Taylor Superior Court; March term 1921; burglary; 3 to 5 years; commuted to present service (12 months) April 12, 1922.

C. E. FIELDS: DeKalb Superior Court; Sept. term 1921; having liquor; 9 months; commuted April 12, 1922.

H. LEE STRICKLAND: Early Superior Court; April term 1919; assault to murder; 3 years and 12 months; account of various recommendations and the punishment recommended by the trial Jury, misdemeanor sentence commuted to present service, April 11, 1922.

ISADORE ROSENBERG: Fulton Superior Court; Oct. term 1921; possessing liquor; 12 months or 6 months and \$250; commuted April 10, 1921 account of recommendation of Judge and Solicitor.

J. W. POPE: DeKalb Superior Court; Oct. term 1921; violating prohibition law; 12 months; commuted April 11, 1922 account of recommendation of trial Judge and Solicitor.

WILL SMITH: Stephens Superior Court; Nov. term 1919; assault to murder; 3 to 5 years; applicant had served more than misdemeanor punishment which was recommended by trial Jury. Commuted April 18, 1922.

HITHER OWENS: Wheeler Superior Court; August term 1921; manufacturing liquor; 1 to 1½ years; served about 6 months, strongly recommended by trial Judge; commuted April 17, 1922.

GUS DRAKE: Warren Superior Court; April term 1921; attempt to murder; 2 to 5 years; injury received by applicant during his confinement in penitentiary amounts to more than original sentence. Recommended by officials and prosecutor; commuted April 10, 1922.

J. S. FARMER: DeKalb Superior Court; Oct. term 1921; manufacturing liquor; 12 months; commuted to 8 months as recommended by trial Judge on April 18, 1922.

J. L. HAMLIN: Brooks Superior Court; May term 1912; assault to rape; 1 year; recommended by all county officials, and account of dependant wife and two children of applicant commuted April 18, 1922.

C. E. HENDERSON: Dade Superior Court; March term 1922; violating prohibition law; 12 months or 6 months and \$100. He paid fine of \$100 and served six months; commuted May 6, 1922.

HAROLD HOLTZENDORF: Fulton Superior Court; May term 1921; larceny of auto; 12 months and \$1,000 fine; commuted to \$1,000 fine May 9, 1922.

BOB MITCHELL: DeKalb Superior Court; Sept. term 1921; attempt to manufacture liquor; 12 months; commuted after service of 7 months, May 8, 1922.

ROBERT CRAWLEY: Clayton Superior Court; Feb. term 1922; assault to murder; 2 to 4 years; commuted May 9, on account of various recommendations of county officials and citizens.

CLAIRE JONES: Hancock Superior Court; March term 1921; distilling; commuted to fine of \$500 and costs of court April 4, 1922.

LEWIS CLOTFELTER: Oconee Superior Court;

Jan. term 1922; violating prohibition law; 6 months; commuted to fine of \$50 April 15, 1922.

JOHN W. SWANN: Meriwether Superior Court; Feb. term 1918; manslaughter; 10 years; Jury made separate verdict asking Judge to be as lenient as possible; all officials join in asking for clemency. Applicant has a wife and several children in destitute circumstances. He had served more than 3 years, commuted April 21, 1922.

RICHARD DARDEN: Jasper Superior Court; August term 1921; larceny and carrying pistol; 6 months or \$250 and 9 months; commuted to fine of \$50 May 22, 1922.

CHAS B. SWORDS: DeKalb Superior Court; March term 1921; seduction; 4 to 10 years; commuted June 1, 1922 account of new evidence which makes a strong doubt as to guilt of applicant.

ALFORD DIXON: Hancock Superior Court; Sept. term 1921; violating prohibition law; 9 months or 4 months and \$40; commuted to fine of \$40 June 1, 1922.

MARY MOORE: Cobb Superior Court; March term 1921; forgery; 2 to 4 years; commuted June 5, 1922 account of recommendation of trial Judge.

ROBERT TATE: Walton Superior Court; Nov. term 1921; violating prohibition law; 12 months; commuted to 6 months service June 5, 1922.

A. H. MCCOY: Sumter Superior Court; June term 1920; bigamy; to 3 years; commuted June 5,

1922 account of service of 1½ year and large petition.

JIM WALKER: Tift Superior Court; July term 1919; larceny; 3 years; commuted to present service, June 5, 1922; had served more than 1 year; variously recommended.

ESSIE DAWSON: Upson Superior Court; Nov. term 1919; manufacturing liquor; 2 to 4 years; had served one sentence and 9 months on the other. Recommended by all county officials; commuted June 7, 1922.

W. D. LEVAR: Coffee Superior Court; Oct. term 1921; larceny of auto; 2 years commuted June 21, 1922 account of injury received and recommendation of trial Judge.

R. LANIER & J. M. HARLEY: Chatham Superior Court; March term 1921; shooting at another; 1 year each; commuted to fine of \$150 in each case, June 22, 1922.

PAUL UPCHURCH: Rockdale Superior Court; Jan. term 1922; having liquor; 9 months; commuted June 27, 1922 account of recommendation of Judge and Solicitor.

PARDONS

Every application for pardon was recommended by the Prison Commission.

WILBUR ARRANT: Muscogee Superior Court;

Dec. term 1919. Larceny; 1½ years. Pardoned July 21, 1921 because of new evidence presented.

CHARLES N. HUDSON: Jones Superior Court; Oct. term 1920; manslaughter; 1 year. Pardoned July 21, 1921 because of Supreme Court decision in similar cases since his trial. Recommended by Judge, Solicitor, Jurors, Prosecutor and many citizens.

MARGARET HARRIS: City Court of Savannah; July term 1921; larceny; 9 months. Pardoned Aug. 2, 1921 because of recommendation of trial Judge and forty State Senators.

WILL V. WARD: Houston Superior Court; August term 1919; manslaughter; 2 to 5 years; pardoned Aug. 6, 1921. Recommended by number of county officials.

GWIN COLLINS: Grady Superior Court; March term 1920; larceny; 2 to 4 years; pardoned after costs of court were paid. Recommended by trial Judge.

MISS AUGUSTA HOWARD: Muscogee Superior Court; Nov. term 1920; shooting at another; 1 to 2 years; pardoned Dec. 12, 1921 on account of showing made as to mental conditions of applicant, and numerous petitions in her favor.

LEONARD WEAVER: Clarke Superior Court; April term 1921; forgery; 2 to 4 and 2 to 4 years. Pardoned Dec. 15, 1921 because of his very bad physical condition and recommendation of trial Judge.

M. T. SUMMERLIN: Clarke Superior Court; April term 1919; manslaughter; 3 years; pardoned Dec. 20, 1921 because of some doubt of the guilt of applicant and recommendation of many citizens.

DR. A. G. GRENOBLE: Fulton Superior Court; July term 1921; practicing medicine without license. Pardoned Dec. 20, 1921 on account of applicant's age and physical condition.

EVERETT W. COTTON: Muscogee Superior Court; Feb. term 1922; larceny of auto; 12 months; pardoned June 1, 1922 on account of proof as to the real thief and recommendation of Judge and Solicitor.

GEORGE D. SEMKEN: Chatham Superior Court; July term 1919; embezzlement; 5 years; pardoned Jan. 18, 1922.

CARENCE TINSLEY: Mitchell Superior Court; Dec. term 1919; larceny; 4 years; pardoned Jan. 16, 1922; account of recommendation of Judge and Solicitor and his poor physical condition.

FRANK DZIEZULSKI: Fulton Superior Court; Jan. term 1920; robbery; 4 to 6 years; pardoned Jan. 17, 1922 account of youth of applicant and recommendation of Judge and Solicitor.

J. E. SMITH: Franklin Superior Court; Sept. term 1921; abandonment; 12 months; pardoned Jan. 2, 1922. Recommended by Judge and others.

J. H. LEWIS: Gordon Superior Court; Feb. term 1918; burglary; 1 and 1 year. Pardoned April

5, 1922 on account of being urged by the two prosecutors. Also large number of citizens.

JOHN FOSTER, CHARLIE HUNT & JOHN JACKSON: Fulton Superior Court; March term 1921. Robbery; 4 to 6 years; pardoned April 17, 1922 on account of recommendation of Judge and Solicitor.

LLOYD SKINNER: Carroll Superior Court; Oct. term 1921; assault to murder; 1 to 2 years; pardoned June 20, 1922 account of new evidence and fine paid by applicant.

JULIUS McINTYRE: Fulton Superior Court; July term 1921; manslaughter; 1 year; pardoned June 23, 1922 upon recommendation of widow of deceased and presiding judge.

Under Orders of the Day the following bill of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of Committee on Rules for a second reading and for the purpose of disagreeing to the unfavorable report of the committee, was read for the second time and placed before the House for the purpose of disagreeing to the report of the committee:

By Mr. Watkins of Butts—

House Bill No. 6. A bill to repeal an Act to regulate the return and assessment of property for taxation in this State.

Mr. Arnold of Clay rose to a point of order on the above bill stating that it could not be considered by the House under Rule 153, due to the fact that a

bill of the same subject matter and title had been lost in the Senate. The Speaker ruled that the phraseology of Rule 153 was vague and indefinite and as House Bill No. 6 had never been passed on by the Senate that each member of the House as well as the Speaker had perfect right to pass upon the constitutionality of the consideration of House Bill No. 6 and the Speaker overruled the point of order.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House adjourn that it stand adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 6 be postponed until next Tuesday morning immediately after the period of unanimous consents and the motion prevailed.

Unanimous vote of confidence was given to Mr. J. E. T. Bowden of Ware County relative to the matter of striking shopmen in Waycross.

Mr. Holloway of Fulton moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Clark of Webster and Peterson of Echols.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

MONDAY, JULY 24, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleton	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that during the remainder of the session, unless otherwise ordered by the House, individual speeches be limited to twenty minutes and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted by a unanimous rising vote:

By Messrs. Fowler, Malone and Winship of Bibb,
Hamilton of Floyd, and Grovenstein of Effing-
ham—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 186. *Whereas*, the gentle spirit of Joseph Hill Hall winged its flight from earth on Saturday July 22, and now rests in the bosom of his God; and

Whereas, his long and useful life was spent in unselfish labor for the uplift of mankind, more than twenty years of which he was a distinguished member of this body,

Therefore, be it resolved that the House stop its deliberations for a period of two minutes and with bowed heads honor the memory of the great friend of the common people.

Be it further resolved, That the Clerk of this House be instructed to forward a copy of these resolutions to the family of the deceased.

Under the above resolution the House ceased deliberation and remained with heads bowed for a period of two minutes.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 818. A bill to consolidate and amend the City Charter of the City of Americus.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 819. A bill providing for an additional Judge of the Rome Judicial Circuit.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 820. A bill to create a new charter for the City of Viadalia.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 821. A bill to amend Par. 1, Sec. 13, Art. 6, of the constitution relative to salaries of Judges of the Superior Courts.

By Messrs. Duncan and Langford of Hall—

House Bill No. 822. A bill to amend an Act to establish a City Court for Hall County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 823. A bill to fix compensation of bailiffs in certain counties.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 824. A bill to amend the charter of the City Court of Metter, in Candler County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 825. A bill to amend an Act to

reorganize the State Highway department of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 826. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Arabi, in Crisp County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

House Bill No. 827. A bill to consolidate and amend an Act establishing a new charter of the Town of Warwick.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 828. A bill to amend an Act establishing Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Ben Hill County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 751. A bill to amend an Act creat-

ing the City Court of Louisville, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 763. A bill to provide a local Board of Trustees for Georgia Military College and for other purposes.

. The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 127, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Collier of Stephens—

House Bill No. 779. A bill to amend an Act to provide for holding four terms a year of the Superior Court of Stephens County, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Jackson and Houser of Houston—

House Bill No. 792. A bill to amend an Act to establish City Court in and for County of Houston and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bellah of 42nd—

Senate Bill No. 189. A bill to create the City Court of Summerville for the County of Chattooga.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 140, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bellah of the 42nd—

Senate Bill No. 191. A bill to repeal the Act creating the County Court of Chattooga.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Hullender of Catoosa County, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following acts, to-wit:

House Bill No. 322. A bill to create the Georgia Children's Code Commission.

House Bill No. 566. A bill to provide the time of opening and closing polls in certain counties.

House Bill No. 572. A bill to amend Act creating the Municipal Court of Atlanta.

House Bill No. 586. A bill to amend an Act abolishing Justice Courts, etc., in Columbus, Ga.

House Bill No. 619. A bill to ratify sale by Commissioners of Commons of Columbus to J. T. Cooper.

House Bill No. 686. A bill to amend an act relative to time of holding Court of Walton County.

House Bill No. 715. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Dawson.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa, Chairman.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the Senate was read and concurred in:

By Mr. Clay of the 39th—

Senate Resolution No. 83. A resolution relative to the Georgia Cotton Growers Co-operative Association.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 141 was taken from the table and placed upon the calendar.

By unanimous consent the following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Resolution No. 171. A resolution asking for information from State Entomologist as to the distribution of calcium arsenic, use of appropriation for the year 1922 and experiments made on farms of this State.

Under Rule No. 45 the following resolution of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, read, and taken up for consideration:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 182. A resolution to amend House Rule No. 42.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that the resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Rules and the motion prevailed.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted, read, and adopted:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration an order of business for Monday, July 24th, to follow order previously set, have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman, to report as a special and continuing order of business to be taken up immediately after order of business already set, the following:

House Bill No. 474. Change Name G. N. & I. C.

House Bill No. 734. Library Bill.

House Bill No. 244. Free Kinder Garden.

House Bill No. 553. Temperance Day Bill in Public Schools.

House Bill No. 691. Providing for settlements by Tax Collectors.

Debate limited to 10 minutes on each measure.

MUNDY of Polk, Vice-Chairman.

The following message was received from, the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitu-

tional majority the following bills of the Senate and House, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 214. A bill to give Federal Government authority to establish Rules for protection of Fish and Game.

Senate Bill No. 248. A bill to repeal an Act establishing a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Hancock County, Georgia, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the Senate and House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 686. A bill to change the time of holding of May and November Terms of Walton Superior Court.

Senate Bill No. 217. A bill to prescribe the procedure for application for certiorari from Court of Appeals to Superior Court.

Senate Bill No. 198. A bill for the licensing of dealers in nursery stock, tree surgeons and agents.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the Senate and House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 322. A bill to create the Georgia Childrens Code Commission.

House Bill No. 619. A bill to ratify a sale of certain lands in City of Columbus, County of Muscogee, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 565. A bill to provide for the salary of the Treasurer of County of Schley.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted by the requisite constitutional majority the following resolutions of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Resolution No. 75. A Resolution to accept funds from the Congress of the United States for the betterment of health conditions of maternity.

Senate Resolution No. 71. A resolution to provide for a commission to prevent the dismantling or junking of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railway Company, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the

Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

No. 715. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend the Act establishing the City Court of Dawson.

No. 586. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to abolish Justice Courts and Office of Justice of Peace and Notary Public Ex-officio J. P. and to create in lieu thereof a Municipal Court in and for Columbus, Muscogee County, Georgia, and regulation of cost bills, and for other purposes.

No. 572. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating a Municipal Court of Atlanta by permitting Clerks to administer oaths in criminal warrants.

No. 566. A bill to provide for the time of opening and closing polls in certain Counties in School Bond elections.

No. 480. A bill to be entitled an Act to correct certain mistakes of the General Assembly for the creation of Brantley County and for other purposes.

The following bills of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 474. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Normal and Industrial School, relative to changing name of college.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding after the words “conferring Degrees”, whenever they occur, the words “Degrees to be conferred only to such as who have taken the Standard College Course of Four years.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 734. A bill giving all counties in this State the right to establish and maintain free public libraries and for other purposes.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved that the bill be re-committed and the motion prevailed.

By Messrs. Valentino of Chatham, Vocelle of Camden, and Johnson of Bartow—

House Bill No. 244. A bill to establish kindergartens in the Public Schools of this State and for other purposes.

Mr. Williams of Walton moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 553. A bill to provide for Temperance Day in the public schools and for other purposes.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A bill to provide for the observance of Temperance Day in the public schools of the State of Georgia, to fix said day, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia and by authority of same it is hereby enacted, that from and after the passage of this Act, the fourth Friday in March of each year being the nearest Friday to March 28 the date upon which Prohibition went into effect shall be designated and known as Temperance Day in the public schools of this State

Section 2. On Temperance Day, at least two hours shall be devoted in the public schools of this State to a program, which shall be educational in nature, teaching the good of temperance and prohibition, and the evils of intemperance and disobedience to law.

Section 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable

to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 7.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

The following resolution of the House was introduced and read:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 187. **A resolution that the Senate be requested to advise the House whether or not it has rejected the bill known as the Tax Equalization Act, and for other purposes.**

Mr. Beck of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the adoption of this resolution Mr. Arnold of Clay called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll was called and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Brown of Emanuel	Dobbs
Arnold	Brownlee	Ennis
Beck	Collins	Folsom
Beckham	Cowart	Grant
Bentley	Daniel of Heard	Gresham
Blalock	Davis of Floyd	Griffith
Bowen	Davis of Oglethorpe	Grovenstein
Brantley	DeFoor	Hamilton

Hatcher of Burke	Malone	Sibley
Hatcher of Muscogee	Manning	Smith of Bryan
Hines of Decatur	Miles	Smith of Carroll
Horne	Moore of Fulton	Smith of Haralson
Jones of Coweta	Moye	Smith of Meriwether
Jones of Thomas	Mundy	Strickland
Johnson of Pickens	Nichols	Swift
King of Wilcox	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
McClure	Penland	Tyson
McDonald of Mitchell	Perkins	Vocelle
McGarity	Riley	Worthy
McMichael	Salmon	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Henderson	Phillips of Jasper
Anderson	Herring	Phillips of Telfair
Bleckley	Hillhouse	Pickren
Bloodworth	Hines of Sumter	Pilcher
Bobo	Holland	Price
Bowden	Houston	Ramsey
Braddy	Howard of Forsyth	Reville
Brannen	Howard of Screven	Robinson
Byrd of Crisp	Hullender	Russell
Camp	Jackson	Rutherford
Childs	Jones of Walker	Sapp
Clark of Colquitt	Johnson of Bartow	Shettlesworth
Clifton	Keith	Steele
Collier	Kennedy	Stovall
Corbitt	Kittrell	Sumner of Johnson
Daniel of Troup	Knight	Sumner of Wheeler
DeLaPerriere	Langford of Hall	Tatum
Dickerson	Lankford of Toombs	Valentino
Duncan of Hall	Lewis	Van Zant
Evans	Luke	Watkins
Foy	McDonald of	Way
Franks	Richmond	Whitaker of Rockdale
Griffin	Mixon	Whitworth
Greene	Moore of Appling	Williams of Harris
Gunnels	Neal of Union	Winship
Haddock	Owen	Wood
Harris	Patten	Woodard
Hawkins	Peterson	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Atkinson	Gann	Ricketson
Baldwin	Guess	Singletary
Bird of Taliaferro	Hodges	Smiley
Boatwright	Holloway	Stone
Boswell	Houser	Swindle
Boyett	Hufstetler	Thompson of Dodge
Bozeman	Hunter	Trippe
Branch	Hyman	Turner
Brown of Hancock	Johnson of	Van Landingham
Bush	Chattahoochee	Walker
Carr	King of Jefferson	Wall
Carswell	Logan	Webb
Clark of Webster	McClelland	Weston
Coates	MacIntyre	Whitley
Culpepper	Maddox	Whitaker of Lowndes
Dixon	Mann	Williams of Miller
DuBose	Mason	Williams of Walton
Dudley	Mayo	Wimberly
Duncan of Dawson	Parrish	Wyatt
Dykes	Perryman	Wynne
Ficklen	Pruett	Mr. Speaker
Fletcher	Quincey	
Fowler	Reagan	

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the adoption of the resolution the Ayes were 59, Nays 82.

The resolution having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Arnold of Clay gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to adopt House Resolution No. 187.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Webb of Lowndes.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

TUESDAY, July 25, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleton	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

The Journal of yesterday's proceedings was read.

By unanimous consent Mr. DuBose of Clarke was granted leave of absence during illness.

By unanimous consent House Hill No. 815 was withdrawn from the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 and recommitted to the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 557 was re-committed to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 for the purpose of reconsidering its action in reporting same unfavorably.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the Committees:

By Messrs. Swift of Elbert and others—

House Resolution No. 188 (840A). A resolution

relative to the payment of Confederate veterans and their widows.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Adams of Walton—

House Resolution No. 189 (841A). A resolution relative to abolishing offices of Tax and Prison Commissioners, etc.

Referred to Committee on State of the Republic.

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 190 (841B). A resolution to make appropriation for stationery used by General Assembly.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 829. A bill to incorporate the Inman School District, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 830. A bill to amend an Act abolishing Paulding Board of Commissioners.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 831. A bill to repeal an Act creating the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues, Fannin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. DuBose of Clarke and Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 832. A bill to amend an Act providing for collection of tax on distribution of fuel oils.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland and Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 833. A bill to define the term "Filled Milk" to be used in food products.

Referred to Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation.

By Mr. Boswell of Greene—

House Bill No. 834. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the Town of Greensboro.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 835. A bill to repeal the present and establish a new charter for the City of Cordele.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 836. A bill to create the office of County Treasurer for Taylor County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 837. A bill to repeal an Act abolishing office of County Treasurer for Taylor County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke—

House Bill No. 838. A bill to appropriate certain money to the University of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke—

House Bill No. 839. A bill to appropriate maintenance money to the University of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 840. A bill to abolish the City Court of Toombs County.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 841. A bill to create the City Court of Lyons, in Toombs County.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Messrs. Winship, Fowler and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 842. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Macon.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Winship, Fowler and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 843. A bill to permit the County of Bibb to support the Macon Hospital.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Daniel of Heard—

House Bill No. 844. A bill to provide for the registration of all evidences of indebtedness in Georgia.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Dobbs and Gann of Cobb—

House Bill No. 845. A bill to amend an Act establishing the Town of Austell.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of

the Committee on Special Judiciary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 231 do pass.

House Bill No. 824 do pass.

House Bill No. 822 do pass.

House Bill No. 809 do pass.

House Bill No. 811 do pass.

McDONALD, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Bryan County, Chairman of the Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation have had under consideration bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass, as amended:

House Bill No. 607.

SMITH of Bryan, Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 177 do pass.

Senate Bill No. 237 do pass.

House Bill No. 605 do pass.

House Bill No. 494 do not pass.

MOORE of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, have submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 756.

House Bill No. 820.

House Bill No. 810.

PICKREN of Charlton, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 812.

House Bill No. 818.

House Bill No. 827.

SMITH of Meriwether, Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the Committee, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 605. A bill to authorize the consolidation of Independent school systems.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 607. A bill to provide for the control of venereal diseases, and examinations.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 755. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Bolton, Georgia.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 809. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Claxton.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 810. A bill to amend an Act creating a charter for the City of Milledgeville.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 811. A bill to establish a City Court for Barrow County.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 812. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Atlanta.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 818. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Americus.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 820. A bill to create a new charter for the City of Viadalia.

By Messrs. Duncan and Langford of Hall—

House Bill No. 822. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Hall County.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 824. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Metter.

By Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

House Bill No. 827. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Warwick.

By Mr. Collum of the 13th—

Senate Bill No. 177. A bill to amend an Act establishing Public Schools in each County in the State.

By Mr. Lassiter of the 14th—

Senate Bill No. 231. A bill to amend an Act to fix the time of holding Superior Court in Cordele Circuit.

By Mr. Childs of the 12th—

Senate Bill No. 237. A bill to repeal an Act establishing Public School system for Town of Richland.

The following message was received from His Excellency the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. Blalock:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to deliver to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA, July 25, 1922.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I beg to invite the attention of your body to the moral obligation of this State to provide an appropriate memorialization of those young Georgia soldiers who died in the great World War.

Although this matter has been somewhat delayed, in the pressure of many duties and responsibilities, I trust there has never been a doubt in the minds of the soldiers who survive in this State from that war that the great State of Georgia will do what is proper and fitting to honor these dead sons of the State who died for their country.

Soldiers who fight for their country—those who have lived and those who have died—are entitled to every acknowledgment that a grateful people and a grateful government can express. There should be and is no limit to the grateful appreciation of the people to them, although political experience everywhere has demonstrated that no demobilized army can exist as a political organization, without menace to Democratic institutions. I feel sure that this truth is well understood in Georgia and throughout the country. I have concerned myself to observe with the most zealous care the work of our national government in the rehabilitation of our wounded and diseased soldiers. That work has been generous and

full-handed. That is as the people wish it, and as it should be.

It is my hope that in the near future we will erect a great memorial, on Georgia soil, to Georgia soldiers who died, and to Georgia soldiers who are the survivors of that great war. I hardly think that sufficient time has elapsed since the war to begin active work on such a memorial. It must be carefully planned and its form of expression be carefully considered. I hope that before much longer, the General Assembly of our State will give this subject its most serious and thoughtful consideration, and shall pass whatever legislation is necessary to provide for an appropriate and suitable memorial.

I believe that at the present time there is one thing that the present General Assembly of Georgia can and should do, as a preliminary to this great general memorial that I have the honor to suggest.

Two thousand of our most splendid young men assembled, in May, 1917, at Fort McPherson, Ga. to form a part of the 82nd Division of the American Army in France. The history of this Division is a most striking illustration of the possibilities of Southern leadership and Southern heroism in modern times. I have in my possession a complete and wonderful history of the war record of this Division, which left Georgia in May, 1918, for France. I shall take proper steps to see that it is duly recorded in the permanent records of this State. The official military records show that in the capture of Cornay by this Division, the breaking of the German lines was materially and appreciably hastened. On the

mountain above the City of Cornay, a view is afforded of the Valley of the River Ayr, where thousands of the bravest and best of Georgia's heroic young men who participated in that great struggle enriched the soil of France with their glorious blood, in their desperate and successful assault upon Cornay.

The General Assembly could appropriately begin its recognition of the valor of Georgia's soldiers in that great war, by sending to the Province of Cornay, in France, a suitable monument of Georgia marble, with proper inscription, to be placed on the Mountain of Cornay, as a perpetual memorial to the heroic sons of Georgia who died there in the defense of their country and of their flag. This Memorial can be provided without any great or prohibitive cost, and I earnestly urge upon the General Assembly the creation of an appropriate Commission and the appropriation of a sufficient sum to accomplish this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

The following bills and resolutions of the Senate were read for the first time and referred to the Committees:

By Mr. Ridley of 28th—

Senate Bill No. 198. A bill for the licensing of

nurserymen, dealers in nursery stock, tree surgeons, etc.

Referred to General Agricultural Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Haralson of 40th—

Senate Bill No. 214. A bill to give Federal Government authority to establish rules for the protection of game and fish.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Messrs. Clay of 39th and Golucke of 29th—

Senate Bill No. 217. A bill to prescribe the procedure for application for certiorari from Court of Appeals to Supreme Court.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Hunt of 20th—

Senate Resolution No. 248. A bill to repeal an Act establishing a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in Hancock County, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Akin of 4th, Thomas of 3rd, and others—

Senate Resolution No. 71. A resolution providing for a Commission to prevent the dismantling or junking of the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic Railway Company, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

By Mr. Ridley of 28th—

Senate Resolution No. 75. A resolution providing for the acceptance of a fund from the Congress of the United States for the betterment of health conditions of maternity.

Referred to Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation.

The following invitation from the Mayor and City of Savannah was read:

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, SAVANNAH, GA.,

July 24, 1922.

To the Members of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, Atlanta, Ga.

Gentlemen: The City of Savannah extends to the members of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and to all of the State House officers, from the Governor down, a most cordial and urgent invitation to visit Savannah on next Saturday and Sunday, July 29th and 30th, leaving Atlanta by special train on Friday night, and returning to Atlanta by special train leaving Tybee Sunday night. We ask each and every one of you to be the guest of the people of Savannah from the moment you board the train at Atlanta until you leave the train on your return to the capital. Our program includes a ride on the Savannah River on Saturday, and Saturday

night and Sunday at Tybee beach. This will give all an opportunity to see the commercial features of Savannah and to enjoy the salt breezes and surf bathing at Georgia's great beach.

Savannah will be disappointed if a single Legislator fails to respond to the roll call at Savannah on Saturday morning. For two days we wish each and every member of the Assembly and each and every State official to regard himself as a Savannahian, part and parcel of the life of our community.

A prompt acceptance of our invitation is requested, collectively and individually, so that we will be in position to know how many guests to arrange for.

Twice before the General Assembly has honored Savannah by visiting it. On this third occasion we hope to make their stay even more enjoyable than that of their predecessors—to make it, in fact, the most memorable visit Georgia Legislators have ever made within the bounds of Georgia.

Very truly yours,

MURRAY STEWART, Mayor.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Smith of Bryan—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 191. Resolved by the House, and the Senate concurring, that we accept the invi-

tation of the City of Savannah to inspect the proposed harbor in said city.

The hour of 11 o'clock A. M. having arrived, the Senate appeared upon the floor of the House, and the joint session, called for the purpose of hearing the address of Hon. William J. Harris, United States Senator from Georgia, was called to order by the President of the Senate.

The President appointed the following committee as an escort for Senator Harris: Messrs. Hutchens of 38th, Boykin of 29th, Wall of 5th, Rountree of 16th, David of 43rd, Mundy of Polk, Corbitt of Atkinson, Langford of Hall, Hamilton of Floyd, Dobbs of Cobb, Woodard of Cook, and Bowden of Ware.

By order of the President, the resolution calling for the joint session of the General Assembly was read by the Secretary of the Senate.

Senator William J. Harris then addressed the General Assembly.

Mr. Brown of the Fiftieth moved that the General Assembly, in joint session convened, do now dissolve, and the motion prevailed.

The Senate withdrew.

The following invitation was read:

Mayor James L. Key, in behalf of the City of Atlanta, requests the honor of your presence and lady at a Made-in-Georgia Dinner to be held in the

Auditorium, Gilmer and Courtland Streets, Wednesday, July 26th, at 6:30 o'clock, in honor of Governor Thomas W. Hardwick and members of the Senate and of the House of Representatives of Georgia. Music. Interpretative Dancing. Stunts.

Mr. Moore of Appling moved that the above invitation be accepted, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Bozeman of Worth moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

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Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Frank
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
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Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
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Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
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Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletery	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

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3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committees:

By Messrs. Bowden and Blalock of Ware—

House Bill No. 846. A bill to amend the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Messrs. Clark & Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 847. A bill to repeal Section 383 of Penal Code of 1910, relative to certain misdemeanors.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Bush of Lamar—

House Bill No. 848. A bill to create a Board of Education for Lamar County.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Houser and Jackson of Houston and others—

House Bill No. 849. A bill to place the Solicitor General of the Macon Judicial Circuit on a salary.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Brantley of Pierce—

House Bill No. 850. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the city of Blackshear.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 851. A bill to authorize certain counties to build houses for fire protection.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Holloway and Moore of Fulton and others—

House Bill No. 852. A bill to be known as the Forest Act.

Referred to Committee on Conservation.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 853. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act incorporating the city of St. Mary's.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Hyman and Hawkins of Washington—

House Bill No. 854. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Sandersville.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 855. A bill to amend paragraph 35 of the Military Code of this State, relative to retirement.

Referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the following recommendation:

House Bill No. 841., do pass.

House Bill No. 840, do pass.

House Bill No. 624, do pass.

House Bill No. 816, do pass.

McDONALD, of Richmond, Chairman.

Mr. Swift of Elbert County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Property, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Property have had under consideration the following resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Resolution No. 148.

SWIFT, of Elbert, Chairman.

Mr. Culpepper, of Fayette County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Resolution No. 160. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 190. Do pass.

House Bill No. 832. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 16. Do pass by substitute.

Respectfully submitted,

CULPEPPER of Fayette,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Ficklen of Wilkes County, Chairman of the Committee on Insurance submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Insurance have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Senate Bill No. 224.

FICKLEN of Wilkes, Chairman.

Mr. Turner of Brooks County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Highways, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Highways have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to

report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows :

Senate Bill No. 232. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 176. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 133. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 224. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 653. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 813. Do not pass.

MR. TURNER of Brooks, Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker :

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters, have had under consideration the following bills and resolutions of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass :

House Bill No. 746.

House Resolution No. 184.

House Bill No. 768, as amended.

House Bill No. 828.

House Bill No. 836.

House Bill No. 837.

House Bill No. 785, by substitute.

House Bill No. 817.

House Bill No. 797, as amended.

Senate Bill No. 248, do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

MOYE, of Randolph, Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 829. Do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

MOORE of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden County, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fish, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 750.

VOCELLE, of Camden, Chairman.

Mr. Davis, of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, has submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker :

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, have had under consideration the following House bills and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows :

House Bill No. 690. Do pass.

House Bill No. 789. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 633. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 620. Do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CAMP DAVIS, Chairman.

Mr. Gunnels, of Franklin County, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker :

Your Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 721.

House Bill No. 725.

House Bill No. 39. By amended substitute.

GUNNELLS, of Franklin, Chairman.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion County, Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 2, have had under consideration the following Bills and Resolutions of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 583. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 159. Do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

McMICHAEL, Chairman.

Mr. Mundy, of Polk, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Rules, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration House Resolution 139 instruct me as their Vice-Chairman to report the same back with the recommendation that the same be not adopted.

MUNDY, of Polk, Vice-Chairman.

The following message was received from His Excellency the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. McCurry:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency The Governor to deliver to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

July 26, 1922.

To The General Assembly of Georgia:

I beg to invite your attention to the attached communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury of the United States.

The request of the Secretary of the Treasury is reasonable, and I recommend to you the adoption of legislation in accordance therewith.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Washington, D. C., July 13, 1922.

The Governor of the State of Georgia,

Atlanta, Georgia.

Sir:

With reference to the cession of State jurisdiction over lands in Georgia acquired for Federal building sites, the Department has the honor to refer to your letter of May 1, 1922, stating that the legislature of Georgia would convene on June 28, at which time you would bring to its attention the subject of procuring an amendment to Section 26, Vol. 1, Code of Georgia, 1911, so as to eliminate the provision that "The State retains its civil and criminal jurisdiction over persons and citizens in said ceded territory as over other persons and citizens in this State."

The Department ventures to express the hope that the matter is receiving favorable consideration, the enactment of the requested legislation being particularly desired in connection with sites recently acquired in carrying out provisions of Congress for the care of discharged sick and disabled soldiers, etc., who served in the World War.

A reply at your convenience will be appreciated.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EDWARD CLIFFORD,

Assistant Secretary.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

July 26, 1922.

To The General Assembly of Georgia:

I unhesitatingly recommend the passage of a deficiency appropriation bill to supply the deficiencies in the school funds for 1921 caused by the misappropriation of school funds by R. N. Berrien in discounting the school warrants of the Counties of Heard, Decatur, Chatham, Bulloch, Warren Lumpkin, Echols, Brooks, Emanuel, Liberty, Madison, Chattooga, Dade and Murray, and to the independent school systems at East Lake and Lawrenceville.

The subject-matter is dealt with and fully explained in the last Annual Report of the State School Commissioner, Hon. M. L. Brittain.

The circumstances under which the defalcation occurred are such as to make it just and equitable, in my opinion, to reimburse these Counties and local school systems for the amounts of money which they lost by reason of such defalcation, and I unhesitatingly so recommend.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 39. A bill to promote the health and welfare of female employees in the State.

By Mr. Rutherford of Monroe—

House Bill No. 583. A bill to provide for the maintenance of a School of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts for negroes.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 624. A bill to regulate boxing contests and exhibitions in the State.

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 690. A bill to make it a misdemeanor to issue a check with intent to defraud.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 721. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts, relative to bonds of employment agencies.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 725. A bill to create a Bond Commission for the County of Ware.

By Mr. Dixon of Jenkins—

House Bill No. 746. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jenkins County.

By Mr. Franks of Towns—

House Bill No. 750. A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in the waters of Brastown creek.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 768. A bill to prevent certain people in no-fence districts from voting in elections for no-fence.

By Messrs. McClure and Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 785. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts to give certain powers to certain officers in certain counties.

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 797. A bill to make it unlawful for persons to kill certain cows, sheep, etc., in Liberty County, except on premises of owner.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 816. A bill to repeal an Act abolishing the fee system in Northeastern Judicial Circuit.

By Messrs. McClure and Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 817. A bill to amend an Act abolishing the Board of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues of Walker County.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 828. A bill to amend an Act to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Ben Hill County.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 829. A bill to incorporate the Inman School District, in Fayette County.

By Messrs. DuBose of Clarke and Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 832. A bill to amend an Act relative to the collection of Taxes on fuels and oils.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 836. A bill to create the office of County Treasurer for Taylor County.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 837. A bill to repeal an Act to abolish the office of County Treasurer for Taylor County.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 840. A bill to abolish the City Court of Toombs County.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 841. A bill to create the City Court of Lyons in Toombs County.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Resolution No. 148. (715-A). A resolution to authorize the sale of certain lands for benefit of 1st. District A. & M. School.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Resolution No. 159. (737 E). A resolution to appoint committee to suggest Legislation to prohibit the sale of inferior seed.

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Resolution No. 160. (737-F). A resolution to appropriate money for defraying expenses of Mansion Leasing Committee.

By Mr. Phillips of Telfair—

House Resolution No. 184. (817-B). A resolution to relieve Tax Collector and sureties on his bond, Telfair County.

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 190. (841-B). A resolu-

tion to make appropriation for stationery used by General Assembly.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 16. A bill to create a State Auditors Commission.

By Mr. Nix of the 51st—

Senate Bill No. 176. A bill to amend Section 5(a) of Art. 5 of Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department.

By Mr. Haralson of the 40th—

Senate Bill No. 224. A bill to provide additional grounds for revoking business license in Georgia.

By Mr. Womble of the 28th—

Senate Bill No. 232. A bill to make all automobiles signal with horns before crossing bridges.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Childs of 12th—

Senate Bill No. 237. A bill to repeal an Act to establish the Public School system in the Town of Richland.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Duncan and Langford of Hall—

House Bill No. 822. A bill to amend an Act to establish a City Court in the County of Hall.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 148, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 824. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Metter.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 149, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Hodges of Evans—

House Bill No. 809. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Claxton.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 142, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 811. A bill to establish the City Court of Barrow County, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 144, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 818. A bill to consolidate and amend the City Charter of Americus.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 812. A bill to amend the charter of City of Atlanta.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill tht Ayes were 146, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bozeman of Worth—

House Bill No. 827. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Warwick.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 150, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 820. A bill to create a new charter for the City of Vidalia.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 147, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 810. A bill to amend an Act creating a charter for the City of Milledgeville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 143, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 756. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Bolton.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bill to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 173. A bill to abolish and Act regulating the practice of occupation of Barbers.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bill to-wit:

House Bill No. 602. A bill to amend an Act establishing Public Schools for Town of Warrenton.

The following communication from His Excellency the Governor was read:

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

ATLANTA.

July 20, 1922.

To The General Assembly of Georgia:

At your last session the Georgia State Board of Forestry was created for the purpose of investigating and reporting to you the forest needs of our State. Subsequent to the creation of this board subcommittees have gone into the subject and made their reports which the board has unanimously approved.

In calling your attention to the report of the State Board, I wish to assure you that careful and painstaking work has been done, which is herewith submitted for your further consideration. You will note that this report goes into considerable detail concerning the forest needs, our forest wealth, the extent of forest depletion, Georgia's wood require-

ments, her lumber cut, migration of saw mills, shrinkage of employment and other evidences of forest exhaustion, including the decline of our naval stores industry, soil erosion, etc. The economic aspects of the situation show that we have reached a critical point and the time has come to make a definite beginning on this most important matter.

I commend the report of the State Board of Forestry to you for your most careful consideration and action at this time and as I have had occasion to keep in personal touch with this work and fully realize the importance of forest fire control and state encouragement for reforestation of our vast cut over areas in Georgia, I heartily recommend that the provisions set out in this report be written into the code of Georgia Laws in order that our State may take its proper place with other progressive states of the Union and no longer fail to encourage its citizens in the protection and replacement of our forest areas.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

REPORT OF THE GEORGIA STATE BOARD
OF FORESTRY.

*To the President, the Honorable Governor and Other
Members of the Georgia State Board of Forestry:*

We your sub-committee, appointed to investigate and report to you in accordance with the Act creating this Board, herewith respectfully submit our findings and recommendations. Your sub-committee has been handicapped in making its investigations by being unable to incur any expenses, since no appropriation for that purpose was provided by the Legislature. In spite of this fact your committee has visited the various sections of the State and discussed the situation with land owners, farmers, timber land owners, orchardists and others. We were astonished at the lack of knowledge by many of the tremendous annual destruction as well as the incipient possibilities of our natural forest areas. The information contained in this report is based upon the knowledge of the members of your sub-committee and upon that supplied by the United States Forest Service, The American Forestry Association, the Southern Forestry Congress, the Georgia Forestry Association, Department of the State of Georgia and individuals familiar with forest conditions in the State.

S. W. Mc'ALLIE.

B. H. STONE,

H. G. SPAHR.

FOREST NEEDS OF GEORGIA.

With the possible exception of North and South Carolina, forest depletion in Georgia appears to have reached a more advanced stage than in any other State in the South. There are ample evidences, your committee finds, clearly indicating that the exhaustion of the forest resources of the State has reached a point where it is not only destroying rapidly two of the State's most important industries, but is imperiling the agricultural and industrial prosperity of the entire common-wealth. The situation is made measurably more serious by the public apathy and ignorance which prevails with respect to the effects of forest depletion, and by the failure of past legislatures to recognize that the destruction of a great natural resource, upon which its industries and its people are dependent in whole or in part, is prejudicial to the public interests of the State. As a result forest depletion in Georgia continues unrestricted and at a rapid and alarming rate.

Your committee desires to point out that the effects of forest exhaustion in Georgia are making themselves felt at an unfortunate period in the progress of the State. The production of cotton, lumber and turpentine have been basic industries from which the prosperity and development of the State have largely sprung. Today, these three industries are suddenly threatened—the cotton industry by the ravages of the boll weevil, the lumber and turpentine industries by the exhaustion of its old growth timber and by the destruction of its second growth forests through fires and other forms of human neglect. The possibilities of economic distress resulting from the simultaneous decline of three of its leading industries are so insidious and far-reaching as to warrant, in the judgment of your committee, prompt and constructive consideration by those to whom the people have entrusted the welfare of the State.

GEORGIA'S FOREST WEALTH.

Next to cotton, our forests have in the past contributed in largest measure to the wealth and prosperity of our people. Until within the last few years, our forest industries have supplied employment to a larger number of wage earners than any other manufacturing industry in the State. Ten years ago, they furnished employment to more people than all other industries combined, excluding the manufacture of cotton goods.

Rich in virgin forests of pine and hardwoods, lumbering and turpentine have long been basic industries in the State. Georgian lumber has been used practically throughout the nation while her turpentine and rosin have been in demand by every civilized nation in the world. These two industries—lumbering and naval stores—have drawn to Georgia from all corners of the globe upwards of a billion and a half dollars in the last quarter of a century.

Little thought seems to have been given, however, to the fact that these two industries are wholly dependent upon a supply of raw material produced by nature and not renewed by man as the original forests were denuded. In consequence, they are today on the decline and are confronted with practical extinction in many sections of the state in the near future, because of the exhaustion of local forest supply.

The abundance of natural growth timber in the State not only stimulated the growth of the lumbering and turpentine industries but it has drawn to Georgia many related wood-using industries. The following table compiled from the 1920 Census, shows the principal wood-using industries of the State directly and wholly dependent upon an accessible supply of raw wood:

STATISTICS CONCERNING WOODS PRODUCTS ESTABLISH-
MENTS IN GEORGIA.

Census of Manufactures, 1919.

INDUSTRY	Number of establishments	Persons engaged in industry	Capital invested	Value of pro- ducts
Boxes, wooden packing, ex- cept cigar boxes.....	13	831	\$ 1,140,531	\$ 2,185,591
Carriages and wagons, in- cluding repairs.....	66	852	1,796,651	3,544,259
Coffins, burial cases and undertakers' goods.....	7	212	653,695	932,252
Cooperage	10	138	435,153	659,694
Furniture, wood, other than rattan and willow..	24	1,215	2,263,084	3,702,915
Lumber and timber pro- ducts	1,512	15,921	18,918,831	26,836,279
Lumber, planing-mill pro- ducts, not including planing mills connected with sawmills	131	3,176	8,917,601	14,029,180
Shipbuilding, wooden, in- cluding boat building....	7	1,030	3,102,121	3,220,693
Turpentine and Rosin.....	441	7,971	3,693,142	10,874,714
Wood, turned and carved..	4	125	257,877	354,630
Total	2,115	31,471	\$41,178,686	\$66,340,207

The extent to which these industries are a factor in the industrial life of the State is apparent when it is stated that they comprise almost 500 per cent. of the industrial establishments of the State, employ 22 per cent. of Georgia's wage earners, represent 10 per cent. of the capital invested in manufactures and produce practically 10 per cent. of the manufacturing wealth of the State. They rank first among the industries of the State in the number of establishments, second in the number of persons employed, third in the amount of capital invested and

third in the value of products produced. A direct comparison with other leading industries is given below:

	Number of establishments	Persons engaged in industry	Capital invested	Value of pro- ducts
Cotton goods	132	39,417	\$150,191,479	\$192,185,896
Lumber and forest products.....	2,115	31,471	41,178,686	66,340,207
Oil and cake, cotton seed.....	116	6,607	31,647,732	99,320,307
Fertilizers	144	5,342	59,482,762	47,479,842

As will be shown later in this report, the primary forest industries of Georgia are on the decline and the above tabulation is given in order to emphasize the industrial importance of the problem with which the State is confronted. The continued shrinkage of these forest industries must inevitably serve to intensify conditions of unemployment, to reduce the earning power of great numbers of our citizens, to curtail local markets for our own products and to decrease the inflow of wealth to the State.

THE EXTENT OF FOREST DEPLETION.

The total area of forest land in Georgia, as given by the U. S. Forest Service, is 20 million acres, of which all has been cut over with the exception of about one million acres. There are some six and a half million acres of cut-over land which contain second growth timber of some merchantable value for lumber, seven and one-half million acres which contain unmerchantable second growth, excepting as cordwood materials, and five million acres of forest land classed as waste because it has been so severely cut and burned that it is producing nothing. The area of totally idle forest land in the State, therefore, is equivalent to almost 40 per cent. of the State's improved farm area.

The foregoing figures show that of the original virgin forests in the State, less than one-twentieth remain and that our people and our wood-using industries are rapidly becoming dependent upon second growth timber or upon lumber imported from other States. Their future independence is however threatened because of the destruction of our second growth timber in many parts of the State by fire and improper methods of turpentineing. In short, your committee finds that not only have our original forests been largely destroyed but that under present methods of neglect and public disregard of forest lands, we cannot count, even in a small way, upon our haphazard second growth to meet our needs of the immediate future.

GEORGIA'S WOOD REQUIREMENTS.

According to figures supplied by the American Forestry Association, Georgia is today consuming approximately 520 million feet of lumber annually, of which 338 million feet are produced within the State and 182 million feet are imported from other parts of the country as follows:

From:	
Central States	651,000 feet
Southern Pine States	152,049,000 "
North Carolina Pine States	11,708,000 "
Lake States	484,000 "
Oregon and Washington.....	6,129,000 "
California	10,006,000 "

Placing a nominal value of \$30.00 a thousand on the lumber imported, the people of Georgia are already sending over five million dollars a year outside the State for lumber. It is significant that 16 million feet of the amount imported came from as far as California, Washington and Oregon, on which the freight alone is from \$20.00 to \$25.00 a thousand feet. This fact serves to emphasize the growing dependency of the Southern States upon the

Pacific Coast timber as our Southern pine forests become exhausted, and the resultant financial drain upon our citizens in obtaining lumber. Other sections of the United States, your committee finds, are paying huge tributes to the West for lumber because their forests have become depleted. It is inevitable that as our own forests become exhausted, we will have to turn to the West in order to meet our lumber requirement because the last great body of timber in the United States is on the Pacific Coast.

In this connection, your committee desires to quote an extract from an address delivered by J. G. Peters, of the U. S. Forest Service, before the Georgia Forestry Association at Macon, on June 7. Speaking of Georgia, Mr. Peters said:

“The number of farms in this State, according to the 1920 census, is about 311,000. It has been estimated that the lumber requirements of the average efficiently run farm for upkeep and improvements is 2,000 board feet yearly. This would mean, therefore, 622,000,000 board feet yearly for this State, which exceeds your present yearly consumption of lumber for all purposes and is more than 80 per cent of your present yearly lumber production. Bear in mind that these 622 millions would represent your requirements for the upkeep and improvements of farms alone, and that this estimate is based on the average farm for the entire country. But will Georgia be content merely with the average farm?

“The per capita consumption of Georgia is among the lowest of the States. This is indicated by preliminary computations of lumber consumption lately prepared in the Forest Service. It is far below that of the big agricultural States of the West and is even below that of the small, manufacturing States of New England. It is nearly in a class with the per capita consumption of those European countries where wood is a luxury.

“Surely this cannot continue in Georgia where the possibilities for growth and development are unlimited. Some day you will use several times the quantity of lumber you are now using. Are you going to anticipate this and provide for a supply at home, or will you follow the example of the Lake States and permit timber depletion to continue unchecked and then after your supply has dwindled, be forced to bring lumber from the Pacific Coast or perhaps from Siberia?”

The wood requirements of our farms are but one of many needs in maintaining the prosperity of our State. Already our peach growers require 25,000,000 feet annually for boxes in which to market their fruit. Our vegetable growers are likewise dependent upon cheap and accessible lumber for crates. Our furniture, carriage, wood turning and cooperage factories are even more directly dependent while almost every industry in the entire State must use wood in one way or another. Our greatest and most vital need now and in the future is probably in the building of homes. Exhaustion of our local forests imposes an increased expense upon our industries and our home builders and tends to impoverish the State by drawing money from the State.

According to the Forest Service, the per capita consumption of lumber in Georgia is 179 feet a year. The average for the nation is 300 feet a year. Regions undergoing rapid agricultural development invariably show the highest per capita wood consumption. Such a development in Georgia or simply a change from cotton to more diversified farming, your committee believes, will demand not less than the average per capita of 300 feet, or a total of 870,000,000 feet, which is 100,000,000 in excess of the total lumber production of the State in 1920.

Your committee desires to point that the national demand for lumber is a factor of increasing importance in our local and State forest situations. The growing short-

tage of timber in the East is naturally stimulating the competition for lumber in the Eastern markets and the tendency of the situation is to increase the prices which the lumber mills are able to obtain in these great Eastern markets. Being to their advantage to sell at the best prices obtainable, Georgia mills naturally export their lumber unless they can obtain equally favorable prices locally. The drain upon our local timber is in consequence becoming greater as the general demand for lumber increases and the available supply declines, while at the same time the scale of lumber prices is gradually being pushed upward. This situation merely serves to hasten the exhaustion of our remaining forests and to emphasize the need and wisdom of prompt action to utilize the forest-growing power of our denuded forest soils.

EVIDENCE OF FOREST EXHAUSTION.

Georgia's Lumber Cut.

One of the most striking evidences of the rapidity with which our forests are disappearing is found in the declining production of lumber in the State. The following figures are taken from the U. S. Census and show the lumber cut in Georgia for the years given :

1899	-----	1,308,610,000 feet
1904	-----	1,135,910,000 "
1909	-----	1,342,249,000 "
1914	-----	1,026,191,000 "
1919	-----	893,965,000 "
1920	-----	761,800,000 "

Since 1909, it will be seen, the production of lumber in Georgia has declined almost 50 per cent. This represents a direct loss in the wealth of the State. The mill value of the 1909 cut at prices then prevailing was approximately \$19,000,000 but the same cut today, had it been maintained, would have a mill value of over \$32,000,000, or \$13,-

000,000 in excess of the value of Georgia's present reduced cut.

If the production of lumber in Georgia during the next ten years declines in the same proportion as during the past decade, the people of the State will be forced to import from other regions of the United States a large portion of their lumber requirements and will have the added cost of transportation to meet. The cause of Georgia's declining cut is found in her declining supply of forest reserve. In 1909, the Government estimated that the State's reserve of pine timber was 32 billion feet while at the present time it is placed at only about 24 billion feet.

Migration of Sawmills.

The U. S. Census shows that in 1909 there were 1991 sawmills in Georgia. Figures just issued in the 1920 Census give the number of mills in the State in that year as 694, a loss of 1,300 plants, or 65 per cent. of its mills, during one decade. Dismantled mill plants and deserted communities throughout the lumber regions of the State are forbidding reminders of the migration of an industry which, under wise and proper management of our forest lands, should be a permanent and leading industry in the State.

Shrinkage of Employment.

Your committee has been greatly surprised to find that the exhaustion of our forests is exerting a strong influence upon employment and means of livelihood in the State. In both 1900 and 1910, the U. S. Census shows, that more wage earners in Georgia were employed by the primary forest industries than any other manufacturing industry in the State. In 1910, over 40 per cent. of all the wage earners in the State were engaged in lumbering or related work. By 1910, the number had dropped to 33 per cent. and by 1920 to only 18 per cent. Despite the increase in population in the State during these two de-

cares, the number of persons who found employment in the forests declined from 38,827 in 1900 to 23,141 in 1920, or 40 per cent.

DECLINE OF GEORGIA'S NAVAL STORES INDUSTRY.

While the shrinkage of our lumber industry has been alarmingly great during the past ten years, the decline of our turpentine and naval stores industry has been even more marked. Men engaged in this industry in the State freely express grave concern as to the future existence of the industry, many believing that it is facing practical extinction in Georgia because of the wanton and destructive attitude maintained towards our young growth timber, upon which the future of the industry necessarily depends.

Exhaustion of Georgia's pine timber is clearly reflected in the waning of our naval stores industry during the past twenty years. The decline in production during that period has been approximately 75 per cent. In 1920, Secretary Meredith, of the Department of Agriculture, asserted that within six years Georgia, at its then rate of decline, would be reduced to a negligible position in the naval stores industry. Mr. Thomas Gamble, of the Naval Stores Review and a profound student of the industry believes that at best, "But ten years are before us in which we can hope for Georgia to retain even a third or fourth place among important naval stores States."

Says Mr. Gamble:

"Men of long experience and intimate knowledge believe that while Georgia has still a few seasons of comparatively fair naval stores production before it, there must be, after a matter of perhaps two or three years expansion resulting from tempting higher values for the output, a radical, almost perpendicular, drop in the quantities of timber to be worked and the resulting crops. A

great natural source of wealth is passing away before our eyes; and industry which should bring millions of dollars to the State every season is shrinking to one of minor proportions; a trade that has belted the earth with its cargoes and brought Savannah and Brunswick into contact with every civilized people of the globe, threatens to largely disappear and become almost a reminiscence within the next decade.

“In 1890 of the total production Georgia contributed about 53 per cent. For twelve years, from the season of 1891-92 to the season of 1902-03, over 1,300,000 packages of naval stores were yearly handled at Savannah alone, or roughly speaking six hundred million pounds a season. The greatest volume of traffic in them at Savannah was in 1896-97, with the phenomenal aggregate of 1,640,000 barrels. Brunswick at the same time handled 260,000 barrels, a total for the two Georgia ports of 1,900,000 packages, with the enormous aggregate freight weight of nine hundred million pounds. For the twelve years referred to the average receipts of the two ports, representing almost entirely Georgia production, was 1,550,000 barrels.

“Compare this with the handlings at the two ports last season of 603,000 barrels, some of which came from Florida and Alabama, and we can the more readily appreciate the tremendous falling off in Georgia's importance as a naval stores and lumber State, for the two industries, as we know, go hand in hand. When the production of the United States was at its height Georgia supplied 50 to 60 per cent. Now that the production has decreased from that height by one-third Georgia supplies but 20 to 25 per cent. of the decreased total.

“The past has its lessons only. What has been done cannot be undone. But what of the future? Is the prediction of the Federal Government to be fulfilled? Is Georgia by the close of this decade to cease to be a naval stores and lumber State worthy of especial mention? Are

Savannah and Brunswick to follow Wilmington and Charleston as ports through which once moved many hundreds of thousands of barrels of naval stores in twelve months but which no longer handle large shipments of turpentine and rosins? These are the pressing questions of the hour. If the answer to them is 'Yes'—and we all feel that it is—then the problem confronting the progressive intelligence of Georgia is how to avoid this direful probability, how to promote and preserve and even expand two great wealth-producing and men-employing industries, and at the same time protect the general interests of the State inasmuch as further forest denudation must inevitably affect our farming classes in the effect on rainfall, freshets, erosion and other vital conditions."

SOIL EROSION.

Another striking evidence of forest devastation in Georgia is found in the increasing destruction of soil by floods. It is a well established fact that forests exert a regulatory influence upon water run-off and thereby protect the soil against floods and the gullyng action of surface water. Much of our soil in Georgia is readily subject to erosion and those who travel about the State from year to year cannot fail to observe the increasing, and in many cases the alarming, extent to which our soil is being gullied and washed away, farm property seriously injured and sources of water supply rendered unusable because of the destruction of forest growth on such vast areas of our land.

Dr. S. W. McCallie, State Geologist, has followed this situation for years, visiting from time to time practically every section of the State. The destruction of wealth, actual and potential, is in his opinion far more serious than is generally appreciated. According to him the effect of deforestation on the filling of water power storage dams in the State is already alarming. So great has become the washing away of our soils that, according to Dr. McCal-

lie all of Georgia's water power storage dams will under present conditions be filled with sediment within the next one hundred years or sooner. The Savannah river is now, it is estimated, carrying to the ocean two and one-half million tons annually of soil matter.

"The retardation of this enormous wash which fills the storage dams," declares Dr. McCallie, "and thereby lessens the effectiveness of our water power, is one of the strongest arguments for the protection of our forests."

ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF THE SITUATION.

Your committee has pointed out in considerable detail incontrovertible evidences of the alarming extent to which forest depletion has advanced in this State. It has sought to indicate some of the effects upon the present and future prosperity of the State, of the decline of a group of industries which rank among the most important in the State. Its duty would not be well performed, however, if it did not summarize the far-reaching consequences of continued devastation and neglect of our forests and our forest lands.

(1) As has already been shown, the exhaustion of our forests is rapidly destroying our two basic forest industries—lumbering and turpentine, and thus (a) depriving large numbers of our people of employment which formerly was open to them; (b) depriving the State of the inflow of wealth which follows the exportation of lumber and turpentine; (c) pauperizing local communities in those sections where these industries are the main means of support; (d) compelling our citizens to send more and more money outside the State in order to obtain their wood requirements; (e) undermining our independence as home builders by making our citizens increasingly dependent upon the uncertainties, high prices and competition of distant lumber markets and (f) destroying in many sections, soil and its productive power, the purity and re-

gularity of our streams, and the actual and potential water power wealth of the State.

(2) Mention should also be made of the vast areas of land which are being rendered non-productive in whole or in part. Already five million acres are virtually idle and the area is being added to year by year while almost fourteen million acres are in a state of haphazard production and yielding a forest growth far short of that possible. Such land, if not now, eventually becomes a burden upon the State. This is clearly proven by the experience of the State of Michigan, where millions of acres of waste cut-over land have in the past decade, reverted to the State in lieu of taxes, thus depriving counties of needed revenue and thwarting their development, socially, agriculturally and industrially.

In the face of the productive power of our forest lands, as determined by competent authorities, our continued neglect and misuse of them appeals to your committee as inexcusable. Mr. Austin Cary, of the United States Forest Service, who for three years has been studying growth conditions in the Southern pine belt, stated recently:

“With timber growing recognized as an economic matter, the question at once arises where timber can be most advantageously grown, what sections are so endowed as to produce it at most profit, and right there is where South Georgia comes in, with very exceptional advantages. Wood for paper making, as has just been indicated, can be grown in a fraction of the time required in regions from which the industry now draws its main supplies, and the same thing would hold of wood that might be required for somewhat similar industries. For the production of saw timber, not indeed of the old heart variety to which the South is accustomed (we shall never see that in large quantities again), but thoroughly serviceable for most purposes, 25 to 60 years may be set as the time required, and yields looked for greater than these had from

the native timber. Then the forests of the region possess this peculiarity, that the most common timber trees yield naval stores in addition to lumber and wood, a very great advantage indeed in respect to value production.

“I have now outlined somewhat more fully, the reasons for the tremendous attraction which the region exerts on a professional forester. My own belief, in fact, is (and that has 30 years experience behind it during which I have worked in every timber region of the U. S. and seen the forests of several European countries), that no region in the world probably has greater natural facilities for producing timber values than the district centering on the Okefenokee Swamp, stretching west from near Savannah some miles north of Waycross to Valdosta, the border passing thence south to Liveoak and taking in a large area of irregular shape in the State of Florida. Longleaf, and particularly slash pine characterize this region, the latter in my opinion a species which will be recognized in future, for the combination of utility in its products, for its readiness of reproduction and rapidity of growth, as one of the most valuable trees on the earth's surface. The gross area of this region is something like 5,000,000 acres in the State of Georgia.”

(3) The prosperity of many industries not directly related to the lumber and turpentine industries are in part dependent upon our forests. The railroads of Georgia, for example, derive from 25 to 50 per cent. of their tonnage from the movement of lumber and forest products and the exhaustion of our local stumpage naturally deprives the railroads of much tonnage needed to keep them operating on a sound and prosperous basis.

The maintenance and development of the fruit and vegetable industry in the State is intimately dependent upon a cheap and accessible supply of box and crate materials, as has already been mentioned. Your committee believes that within the next ten years, the competition

for box lumber in the South will be an important if not a serious factor in the marketing of fruit and vegetable crops. The demand for shipping crates in the South is rapidly increasing with the increasing acreage of land coming into bearing. It is estimated, for example, that the present acreage of citrus fruit planted in Florida alone will in ten years require 240,000,000 feet of box lumber annually, (equivalent to the standing timber on 50,000 acres), or almost five times the estimated annual growth of pine saw timber in the whole State.

Georgia's acreage of fruit and vegetables is likewise increasing and with crate demands accumulating on the large scale indicated and the forest supply constantly and rapidly waning, it is inevitable that Georgia growers will sooner or later be forced to import their lumber needs largely from the West coast. In that event, their crates will cost much more than if the lumber were obtained locally. The additional cost will naturally limit the boundaries of the region in which the Georgia grower can market his crops in competition with fruit and vegetables from other regions.

The same economic considerations apply to other industries of the State which must use wood or the products of the forest in the manufacture or marketing of their products. They are aspects of the forest problem which have a fundamental bearing upon the permanent welfare of the State and which in other States where forest depletion is somewhat more advanced than in Georgia, are making themselves felt to an aggravating and menacing degree. As an example, your committee makes reference to the State of New York where during the period 1912 to 1919, a decline of 65 per cent. in the lumber cut of the State was accompanied by the disappearance of 35 per cent. of the wood-using industries of the State.

(4) The devastation of our forests, your committee desires to point out, is prejudicial to all those things which

go to make our citizens contented and proud of their State. It is destructive of game and wild life, of recreational freedom in the country and of the development of regions especially suitable for game and recreational preserves. Barren and unsightly cut-over lands yield little revenue for the building or support of good roads, neither do they draw tourists from other States.

DESTRUCTIVE AGENCIES.

Lumbering.

Your committee recognizes that lumbering is a proper and legitimate industry and when properly conducted should be fostered and encouraged. Lumbering as carried on in this State in the past and at the present time, however, is often destructive to forest perpetuation. Vast areas have been cut so clean of all timber that natural reforestation has been precluded. If cutting were conducted with the conscious intention of leaving a few seed trees on each acre and of doing as little damage as possible to the young growth on the land, natural reforestation would be obtained on a much more extensive scale. As indicative of the methods of cutting advocated by the U. S. Forest Service, there is appended to this report Exhibits A and Exhibits B.

Forest Fires.

The worst enemy to the regeneration of our cut-over forest is, in the judgement of your committee, unrestricted and un-regulated forest fires. Due to a belief of long standing that the burning of the woods improves the forage and to the almost complete absence of any public sentiment against forest fires, thousands of acres of forest land are swept by flames every year, young forest growth being destroyed or stunted and the fertility of the soil impoverished.

In this State in the five years from 1916 to 1920, inclusive, there were reported to the Forest Service 20,000 forest fires, more than double the number reported in any other State. Ninety per cent. of these fires resulted from carelessness or from design; 10 per cent. from lightning, the only agency that cannot be controlled. Twenty-five per cent. were of incendiary origin, 23 per cent. from causes unknown, 17 per cent. from brush burning, and the remainder were caused chiefly by campers, lumbering, and railroads.

These fires burned over more than 5,000,000 acres, or one-fourth of the State's forest land area, and caused a money loss to timber and improvements alone of \$4,250,000. These figures are conservative: they are incomplete, because of the difficulty of securing statistics of this character where no protective organization exists in the State which could collect them. **If to these direct losses are added the losses which cannot very well be measured in dollars and cents, such for example as the destruction of small trees, the killing of game, the drying up of fishing streams, the burning up of soil fertility, the removing of the ground cover from mountain lands, which makes it possible for erosion to follow and silt to be deposited in the river channels, and the rendering and keeping idle an area estimated to be 5,000,000 acres of forest land in this State, it is readily apparent that the total damage reaches a staggering figure.**

In speaking of the forest fire situation in Georgia, Mr. J. G. Peters of the U. S. Forest Service recently asserted:

“Obviously the thing to do, the thing which a number of other States have done, is to put a stop to the practice of promiscuous and broadcast burning of the woods. Some people say that it cannot be done, that it is a part of the very life of the people, is in fact regarded by many as an inalienable right, and that it is inevitable. But it can be done, because it is already being done. I would hate to

think that the situation in Georgia is any worse than it used to be in East Texas and in Louisiana. Yet a big dent is being made in the progress of stopping forest fires in those States. Let Georgia take its cue not only from these two States, but as well from North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and others, from the no less than 27 States all told which have seen the practical value of stamping out the forest fire menace. All of these have recognized their responsibility to aid in providing timber supplies for their citizens for all time."

TURPENTINING.

No one who travels through the cut-over pine districts of South Georgia can fail to be impressed with the abundance of young growing timber which has followed the cutting of the original forests. Much of this young timber, which should be the source of our future supply of lumber and turpentine, is however being destroyed or rendered worthless by destructive methods of turpentineing employed by some operators. Not only are trees too small to withstand the check of the process being utilized but the larger sized trees are in very many instances hacked so heavily as to destroy their vitality and life within a few years. From the standpoint of perpetuating our pine forests and of providing a future supply of pine stumpage, your committee believes this situation to be an especially serious and menacing one. It is of the belief that turpentineing, if properly done, is not antagonistic to the growing of timber crops; that, in fact, turpentineing is a legitimate by-product operation, but it does not believe that our future supply of timber and turpentine should be menaced and curtailed by unrestricted and destructive methods.

Statement by Former Forester of the United States.

"Your committee, in discussing with the Hon. Henry S. Graves, Ex-Forester of the United States, the Forestry

situation in Georgia, desires to call your attention to the following very pertinent statements made by him.

“The prosperity of Georgia will depend in a large part upon the way she handles her natural resources. Heretofore the forest resources in comparison to population have been so vast that the effect of wastefulness has not been felt.

“The depletion of the forests of the East is greatly increasing the net drain upon Georgia’s forests for the national market. The time has already arrived when Georgia can no longer look upon her forests as a reserve of raw material for the general market. She must consider her own present and future needs. She must consider how her forests can supply the requirements of her growing population, build the new dwellings and farm improvements that will be needed, and supply the raw material for permanent forest industries.

“Georgia will soon cease to be a factor in supplying the nation’s needs for lumber. Already four-fifths of the virgin forest is gone. Her annual production of lumber and turpentine is steadily declining, and this decline is not being adequately replaced by other development where the forest is being used up.

“Georgia’s problem is now to determine how the forests that remain can be made to serve in building up the State on a permanent basis. This means prevention of further wasteful dissipation of this resource and the substitution of constructive methods of forest utilization and forest perpetuation for the present practices of devastation by axe and fire.

“It is difficult for me to see how a prosperous Georgia can do with less than 750 million feet of lumber for her own uses; and if any future development in keeping with the possibilities of this great State can materialize, she will need more.

“Georgia has some excellent hardwood forests in the mountains and also in the bottom lands of the lower country. These hardwood forests furnish the basis for many small wood-using industries. Such industries may be made permanent if the forests are properly conserved and utilized. Think what it means to a farming community in the mountains to have a local furniture factory, to have a market for any mature logs a man may have on his land, to have an opportunity each year to labor in the woods in slack times, to have a local market for crops, to have the industrial vitality that comes from the presence of a manufacturing concern.

“Is it necessary to depict the community where the forest has been destroyed, the local sawmills and wood-using factories have closed, where the support of these industries in keeping up the roads, churches, and schools has been lost, where a large part of the land is no longer capable of yielding taxes and lies waste and a burden rather than an asset to the community?

“Such a picture applies in every region where the land is in part unadapted to cultivation and there are not many parts of the State where every acre can profitably be used for cultivation.

“The old idea still prevails that the forest is a temporary crop to be removed for settlement. Of course this is true where the land is needed for agriculture. But our lumbermen have seemed to proceed on the idea that they can strip off all the forest over thousands of acres, and may then invite settlers to come upon the lands to establish homes. After the first lumbering comes the cutting for ties and poles and in the South the small trees are now being used up in a few years by destructive methods of turpentineing. Forest fires are not only allowed to burn but are set out to keep the ground clear; and this is preventing an adequate growth of pine.

“The second growth pine in a region, the presence of young trees that now or soon can produce turpentine, the opportunities to secure an ample supply of fuel and pole wood for farm purposes are attractions to a settler. The widespread devastation of our coastal plain lands will be the greatest factor in preventing settlement. **People will not come to a treeless Georgia.**

“The question of the right handling of the forests is intimately tied in with the possible development of the State. It is not a problem of providing for future generations. It is one of insuring the new settlers with raw materials now, a question of having in different parts of the State timber and wood to aid in the establishment and maintenance of local wood-using industries, a question of improving the standards of convenience and comfort of the home rather than lowering it, a problem of making an attractive region for new comers in country and town.

“Georgia must face her problem frankly. It doesn't do to say she has unexhaustible forest resources, for she hasn't. She must recognize that a large part of the forest is burned over every year and that steadily this is reducing her forest capital by injuring standing timber and retarding or completely preventing regrowth. Destructive dissipation of natural resources and progressive State development can not go hand in hand. If the first continues the second will not take place. It is not a difficult thing to prevent forest devastation by fire and otherwise, if the people want forests. But forests cannot be protected and perpetuated unless the people all help to prevent fire and support the public agencies that will point the way to a better handling of them.”

GEORGIA'S ESSENTIAL NEEDS.

Although the virgin or original old growth of our State will soon be at an end, the State is still rich in possessing within its boundaries vast areas of forest land

which is not suitable or needed for agricultural use. This land is naturally adapted to the rapid growing of forests. We have soil of wonderful forest productivity; we are blessed with long growing seasons and with native species which will produce merchantable crops in from 25 to 50 years and they yield a great variety of products of world value. We are fortunate in having such conditions as make the management of our forest lands comparatively simple if we but exercise that simple management, which your committee believes, embodies the first steps in solving our forest problem. They may be summarized as follows:

(1) The control and regulation of forest fires and the development of a public sentiment which recognizes the menace of forest fires and will co-operate in stamping **them out.**

(2) The stopping of the destruction of young pine timber by improper and ruthless methods of turpentineing. Your committee believes the naval stores industry will readily co-operate in placing fair and reasonable restrictions upon operators.

(3) The general education of the people of the State to the value of our forests and our forest lands, their place and importance in our economic lives, and our dependency upon their products, to the end that there may be developed a sane and enlightened public attitude with respect to our forest situation and its urgency as a public problem.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Your committee believes that the foregoing needs can be met only by the State assuming the responsibility of leadership in the forestry work of the State. This conclusion is based upon the experience of other States where no advancement in forestry was obtainable until the

States themselves recognized their responsibilities and created forest departments authorized by law to protect their forests and to promote forest management throughout the State. Today, thirty-four States of the Union have forest departments and are appropriating a total of \$4,000,000 annually for forest work. Twenty States are acquiring State forests, a total of almost 6,000,000 acres having been acquired to date.

In conclusion your committee respectfully wishes to submit the following recommendations for your careful consideration and action:

1. The establishment by action of the General Assembly of Georgia of an independent forestry organization to be supervised by and subject only to the State Board of Forestry.

2. The giving of the necessary police powers to the personnel of this organization to afford the proper means of enforcing all forestry laws in Georgia.

3. The financing of this organization and the work of the Board through a special forestry fund to be derived either by a severance tax similar to that now in effect in Louisiana or by occupational tax drawn along the line of that in Florida. Copies of the two acts referred to are attached and are marked Exhibits C and D.

4. The exclusive use of such funds to be under the direct jurisdiction of the Georgia State Board of Forestry and used for the protection and reproduction of our natural forest area.

5. That special technical investigations and studies be carried on by the forestry organization for the advancement of adequate forestry policies in the State.

6. That advantage be taken of the co-operation offered by the Federal Government for fire prevention in the

same way that Federal Aid is supplied for highway construction.

7. That the attached copies of proposed bills which your committee has drawn to meet the requirements of a forestry policy in Georgia be given the endorsement of the Board and submitted with the report of this Board to the General Assembly for action.

Respectfully submitted,

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A BILL

to be

ENTITLED, An Act to promote Forestry interests in the State of Georgia under the direction of the Georgia State Board of Forestry; to increase the powers and duties of such Board and to more fully define them; to provide for a State Forester, the manner of his appointment and to prescribe his qualifications, powers and duties; to provide for a system of Forestry protection, management and replacement, and for its maintenance; to provide a State Forestry fund; to provide for State Forests and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the object of this Act is to bring about, so far as may be, the production of timber on all forested and cut-over land in State or private ownership not now required for other uses than the growth of timber, in order to insure an adequate and continuous supply of forest products for the use and necessities of the citizens and industries of the State.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the short title of this Act shall be "The Forest Act."

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the terms of office of the four citizen members of the Georgia State Board of Forestry created by the Act of the Legislature approved August 15, 1921, and found in Georgia Laws 1921, page 192, shall expire on the first day of September, 1923, 1924, 1925, and 1926, respectively, the term of each to be designated by the Governor; and their successors shall be appointed by the Governor for terms of four years, beginning on the day next following the last day of the expired term, except that any person chosen to fill an unexpired term shall be appointed only for the unexpired term of the member whom he shall succeed. So far as practicable all such appointees shall be selected with reference to their knowledge of and interest in the production and use of forest products in the industries of the State.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the State Board of Forestry hereinafter called the Board shall meet annually at some regular time to be determined upon by the Board and on call of the President at such other times as occasion may require. The members of the Board shall receive no compensation for their services as such, but they shall be reimbursed for their reasonable expenses while in the performance of their duties.

DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE BOARD.

SEC. 5. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the duties and powers of the Board shall be:

(1) **Personnel** (a) **State Forester.**—To appoint a State Forester who shall have been technically trained in the profession of forestry and in addition shall have had at least two years experience in the practical and adminis-

trative work of that profession, the exact extent and character of which shall be certified by the Secretary of the United States Department of Agriculture, to demote or remove such State Forester only for just cause, due public hearing and record of the proceedings being made by the Board; to pay him such salary and allow him such office and other expenses incidental to the performance of his official duties as the Board in its discretion deems necessary; to require the State Forester to devote his whole time to the duties of his office and to attend all meetings of the Board and to charge him, under full authority of law, with the immediate direction and control (subject only to the supervision and approval of the Board) of all matters relating to forestry as authorized by this Act or as may be otherwise authorized by law.

(b) **Subordinate Personnel.**—To appoint as occasion may require, remove for cause, define the qualifications and duties, assign them titles, and fix the compensation of such technical forestry assistants and other subordinate employees as may be necessary and designate those who shall have, and they are hereby given, police powers in and concerning all matters relating to or connected with the State Forests, hereinafter provided for, and the enforcement of any and all other provisions mentioned in or coming within the scope and purpose of this Act.

(2) **Forest Fires.**—To take such action and provide and maintain such organized means as possible and as may seem necessary to prevent, control, and extinguish forest fires including the enforcement of any and all laws pertaining to the protection of forests and woodlands.

(3) **Forestation.**—(a) To encourage forest and tree planting for the production of a wood crop, for the protection of water supply, for windbreak and shade or for any other beneficial purpose contributing to the general welfare, public hygiene and comfort of the people

(b) To grow, collect, purchase, or import for such purposes such necessary trees, plants and shrubs and their seeds, cuttings, or other means by which they may be propagated, and to dispose of the planting materials so grown, collected, purchased, or imported, under such contracts, terms, and conditions, as in the judgment of the Board, may be to the public interest under this Act.

(4) **Technical Investigations and Studies.**—To cause to be made such technical investigations and studies concerning forest conditions, the propagation, care, and protection of forest and shade trees, the care and management of forests, their growth, yield, and the products and by-products thereof, and the industries incidental thereto, and any other competent subject, including forest taxation, bearing on the timber supply and needs of the State which the Board in its discretion may deem proper.

(5) **Co-operation and Assistance.**—To assist and co-operate with, under such terms as in the judgment of the Board will best serve the public interests, any Federal or State Department or institution, county, town, corporation, or individual in the preparation and execution of plans for the protection, management, replacement, or extension of the forest, woodland and roadside or other ornamental tree growth in the State.

(6) **Education and Publication.**—To encourage public interest in the forests and forestry, by means of correspondence, the public press, periodicals, and moving pictures, the publication of bulletins and leaflets for general distribution, and delivery of lectures.

(7) **Care and Management of State Forests.**—To have the general care, custody, control, and regulation of all lands set apart or acquired for State Forest purposes, to devise ways and means by which State Forests shall be made so far as possible self-supporting; and to that end the Board may, and hereby is authorized, under such

rules and regulations as it shall prescribe, to dispose of by sale, licence, permits, or any other appropriate means, any timber or other products, and to lease, or otherwise grant under limited permit and subject to its supervision and a reasonable charge, the occupancy and use of any land, water, or other resource of the State Forests not inconsistent with the purposes for which said Forests are established.

(8) **Rules and Regulations.**—To make rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions specifically mentioned in this or any other Act which the Board may be given authority to enforce. All rules and regulations so made when incorporated in the records of the Board and public notice given of that fact shall have the force and effect of law after the expiration of 60 days, unless it can be shown that an emergency exists by which the public interest is seriously endangered when the specific rule or regulation involved shall by public notice be made immediately effective: **Provided.** That any court of competent jurisdiction may suspend the operation of any order or regulation for such time, not to exceed 60 days, as may be necessary to grant a public hearing or hearings to any person or persons aggrieved thereby.

(9) **Supervision of Expenditures.**—To control the expenditures of any and all funds appropriated or otherwise made available for the several purposes set forth in this Act, and under suitable regulations and restrictions to specifically authorize any officer or employee of the Board to incur necessary and stipulated expenses in connection with the work upon which such person may be engaged.

(10) **Biennial Report.**—To submit biennially to the Legislature a report of the expenditures, proceedings, and results achieved, together with such other matters including recommendations concerning legislation as are germane to the aims and purposes of this Act.

SEC. 6. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the Board is hereby authorized and empowered, from time to time, to set apart and reserve as State Forests any lands acquired under Section 7 for the purpose of timber production, game and wild life protection, securing favorable conditions of waterflow, recreational and such other uses as the Board deems proper, and as areas upon which forestry may be demonstrated as a means of preventing the waste of the poorer grade soils through idleness and erosion by utilizing them for the production of timber and other forest products.

SEC. 7. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That lands necessary for the purposes outlined in the preceding section, including any which may already belong to the State not otherwise devoted to some public purpose may be acquired by the Board for State Forests, the title to vest in the name of the State, their acquisition by the Board, which hereby is authorized, to be by gift, or by purchase approved by an Act of the Legislature. No title or interest in any of the said lands, held as State Forests under this Act shall be subject to be taken by any body-corporate, whether municipal or a private corporation, or any person whatsoever possessing the power of eminent domain by condemnation proceedings against the Board or the State: **Provided.** That the Regulations of the Board shall provide under suitable conditions for the issuance of easements for rights of way and other uses of the land which are desirable for the public welfare.

SEC. 8. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That all moneys derived from the license tax imposed on the business of severing forest products, together with all moneys derived from the sale of timber or other products from the State Forests, and all moneys derived from penalties, minus the cost of prosecution imposed for the violation of this Act, shall be covered into the State

Treasury and placed to the credit of a special fund to be known as the Forestry Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated and made available for expenditure as the Board may direct in carrying out the purposes of this Act.

SEC. 9. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That until sufficient moneys are derived from the sources named for the Forestry Fund as provided by this Act, a sum not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) is hereby authorized to be placed to the credit of the Forestry Fund from moneys not otherwise expended in the State Treasury in order that the Board may begin its administrative work without delay: **Provided.** That any part of said sum that may be expended by the Board will be refunded in the State Treasury from the Forestry Fund when moneys are available from the other sources named in this Act.

SEC. 10. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall be unlawful to do any of the following acts, to wit:

(1) To drop within or near forest lands any lighted match, cigar, cigarette or pipe tobacco without completely extinguishing the same.

(2) To leave camp or other fires unextinguished and unattended in or near forest lands.

(3) To negligently allow fires in or near forest land to escape and damage the property of another.

Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Section or who violates any of the rules and regulations made by the Board under the provisions of Section 5, Sub-Section 8 of this Act, or who violates any of the Forestry Fire Laws in the Georgia Code of 1910, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction shall be punished under the provision of Section 1065 of the Penal Code of 1910.

SEC. 11. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That this act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and its approval by the Governor. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part of this Act shall be adjudged or decreed by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment or decree shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the remainder thereof but shall be confined in its operations to the clause, sentence, paragraph, or part thereof directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment or decree shall have been rendered.

SEC. 12. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

EXHIBIT C.

ACT No. 31.

House Bill No. 223, Substitute for House Bill No. 119.

AN ACT..

To carry into effect Article 229 of the Constitution of 1898 as amended at the election in November, 1910, and as repeated in the Constitution of 1913, by levying a license tax upon all persons, firms, corporations, or associations of persons engaged in the business of severing natural resources from the soil or water; including all forms of timber, turpentine and other forest products; minerals, such as oil, gas, sulphur, salt, coal and ores; also marble, stone, gravel, sand, shells and other natural deposits; and prescribing the method of collecting and enforcing the payment of such license tax; requiring all those engaged in the severance of, and dealing in, such natural resources to make such reports of their business as may be necessary for the proper enforcement of this act; to provide penalties; and to repeal certain laws and all laws in conflict herewith.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, That there is hereby levied a license tax for the year 1920 and for each subsequent year upon each person, firm, corporation or association of persons engaged in the business of serving natural resources from the soil or water; including all forms of timber, turpentine and other forest products; minerals, such as oil, gas, sulphur, salt, coal and ores; also marble, stone, gravel, sand, shells and other natural deposits. Said license taxes shall be collected quarterly by the tax collectors as hereinafter set forth and paid into a special fund which is hereby created to be known as the Severance License Tax Fund of the State of Louisiana. The license to operate in each quarter shall be based on the market value of the quantity severed in the last preceding quarter-annual period.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That every such person, firm, corporation or association of persons engaged within the State in the business of severing any or all such natural resources from the soil or water shall, within thirty (30) days after the expiration of each quarter-annual period expiring, respectively, on the last day of June, September, December, and March of each year, file with the Supervisor of Public Accounts a statement under oath, on forms prescribed by him, of the business conducted by such persons, firm, corporation or association of persons during the last preceding quarter-annual period, showing the kind of natural resources so severed or produced, the gross quantity and actual cash value thereof, and such other reasonable and necessary information pertaining thereto as the Supervisor of Public Accounts may require for the proper enforcement of the provisions of this act. There shall also be shown on such quarterly reports the location of each such natural resource and the place or places where produced or severed from the soil or water. At the time of rendering such quarter-annual report each such person, firm, corporation or association

of persons shall concurrently file a duplicate thereof with, and pay to, the tax collector of the parish where said natural resource is taken or severed from the soil or water a license tax equal to two per centum (2%) of the gross value of the total production thereof during the preceding three months; and the value of all such products shall be computed as of the time when, and at the place where, each such product or natural resource is severed or taken from soil or water. For the purpose of this act the market value of all such products or natural resources shall be computed in their unmanufactured state immediately after severance from the soil or water.

The making of said reports, and the payment of said license taxes, shall be by those actually engaged in the operation of severing, whether it be the owner of the soil, or a lessee who is severing from the soil of another, or the owner of any such natural resources severing from the soil of another.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted etc., That the Supervisor of Public Accounts shall have the power to require any such person, firm, corporation or association of persons engaged in severing all such natural products from the soil or water to furnish any additional information by him deemed to be necessary for the purpose of computing the amount of said license tax; and for said purpose to examine the books, records, and files of such person, firm, corporation or association of persons; and to that end shall have power to examine witnesses, and if any such witness shall fail or refuse to appear at the request of the Supervisor of Public Accounts, or refuse access to books, records and files, said Supervisor of Public Accounts shall certify the facts and the name of the witness so failing and refusing to appear, or refusing access to books and papers, to the District Court of the State having jurisdiction of the party; and said court shall thereupon issue a summons to the said party to appear

before the said Supervisor or his assistant, at a place designated within the jurisdiction of the court, on a day fixed, to be continued as occasion may require, and give such evidence, and open for inspection such books and papers, as may be required, for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not any return so made is the true and correct return as herein required; and whenever it shall appear to the Supervisor that any such person, firm, corporation or association of persons engaged in severing such natural products from the soil or water has unlawfully made an untrue or incorrect return, as herein provided, said Supervisor shall correct the return and shall compute said license tax on same, and certify the same to the tax collector for collection.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted, etc., That the license tax provided by this act shall become delinquent after the date fixed for each quarter-annual report to be filed in the office of the Supervisor of Public Accounts, and from such time shall, as a penalty for such delinquency, be subject to similar penalties to those provided in the general license laws of this State; and the payment of the license tax levied by this act shall be in addition to, and shall not affect the liability of the parties so taxed for, the payment of all state, parochial, municipal, district and special taxes upon their real estate and other corporeal property; but no other tax in addition hereto shall be imposed upon the rights to produce in this State those things whose production is subject to a license tax by the provisions of this act.

SEC. 5. Be it further enacted, etc., That if any person, firm, corporation or association of persons shall fail to make a report of the gross production and value of its natural products (upon which the license tax is herein levied) within the time prescribed by law for such report, it shall be the duty of the Supervisor of Public Accounts to examine the books, records, and files of any

such person, firm, corporation or association of persons to ascertain the amount and value of such production and to compute the tax thereon as provided herein, and according to the procedure hereinbefore provided, where witnesses refuse to testify, or access to books and papers is refused, and shall add thereto the cost of such examination, together with any penalties accruing thereon.

SEC. 6. Be it further enacted, etc., That when any license tax provided for in this act shall become delinquent, the Supervisor of Public Accounts shall issue an order directed to the Sheriff of any parish wherein the same or any part thereof accrued, and the sheriff to whom said order shall be directed shall proceed against the property, assets, and effects of the person, firm, corporation or association of persons against whom said license tax is assessed in the same manner as he is authorized by the general license laws to proceed in the collection of delinquent licenses, collecting penalties as prescribed by general laws.

SEC. 7. Be it further enacted, etc., That any person who shall intentionally make any false oath to any report required by the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of perjury and shall be subject to all penalties prescribed for said crime.

SEC. 8. Be it further enacted, etc., That it is hereby made the duty of the Supervisor of Public Accounts to supervise and enforce the collection of all license taxes that may be due under the provisions of this act; and, to that end, the said Supervisor is hereby vested with all of the power and authority conferred by this act.

SEC. 9. Be it further enacted, etc., That it is hereby made the duty of all purchasers and others dealing in any natural product severed from the soil or water of Louisiana to file quarterly with the said Supervisor of Public Accounts a statement, under oath, showing the

names and addresses of all persons, firms, corporations or associations of persons from whom each said purchaser or dealer has purchased any natural product severed from the soil or water of Louisiana during said quarter; together with the total quantity of, and gross value paid for, each such natural product. Said reports shall be filed within thirty (30) days after the expiration of each quarter, and shall be made on such forms as may be prescribed by said Supervisor of Public Accounts. The failure of any person, firm, corporation or association of persons to make reports as herein provided shall be punished by fine of not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each such offense.

SEC. 10. Be it further enacted, etc., That Act No. 296 of 1914 and all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of the present Act, and especially Act No. 20 of the Extra Session of 1918, be and the same are hereby repealed; provided, however, that nothing contained in this act shall in any wise be construed to impair, or deprive the State of whatever rights it may have against parties subject to a license tax under said Act No. 20 of the Extra Session of 1918 and other laws; and all rights, interests and titles of the State to any license taxes that may be legally due under said Act No. 20 of the Extra Session of 1918 and other laws are hereby specially reserved, whether the same be in litigation or not; it being the true intent and purpose of the present act that said Act No. 20 of the Extra Session of 1918 and other laws shall remain in full force and effect until such license taxes shall become due under this present act; and no obligation that may be due the State for license taxes under said Act No. 20 of the Extra Session of 1918, and other laws prior to the date when this present act shall go into effect shall in any manner be impaired; provided further that all funds collected under this act and said prior tax laws shall be turned into the Severance License Tax Fund of the State of Louisiana.

SEC. 11. Be it further enacted, etc., That this act shall take effect from and after July 1, 1920; and the first quarterly report thereunder, and license tax payable on the value of the production shown thereby, shall be computed on the operations of the preceding three months ending June 30, 1920.

SEC. 12. Be it further enacted, etc., That if any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part of this act, shall for any reason be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this act; but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, or any part thereof, directly involved in the controversy in which such judgment has been rendered.

EXHIBIT D.

REVISED GENERAL STATUTES OF FLORIDA, 1920 (VOL. 1.) CHAPTER II. OF TITLE VI.

Occupational Taxes and Licenses Involving Forest Products.

A large and inclusive list of business and occupations are required to pay an occupational tax or license, except farmers and growers producing and offering for sale farm and grove products and products manufactured therefrom by them other than intoxicating liquors, wine or beer; the county tax being placed at 50 per cent. of the state tax, and municipalities being allowed to levy up to 50 per cent thereof. Among the said businesses and occupations are those mentioned in the sections below, involving forest products. (See sections 803, 804, 805, in Vol. I of said code; and section 995, shown below).

FOREST PRODUCTS.

Primary Operations.

SEC. 885. **Distillers and manufacturers of spirits of turpentine and rosin.**—Distillers and manufacturers of

spirits of turpentine and rosin: Owners or managers of each still in operation during any portion of the year for which the same is taxed, shall pay a license tax as follows:

On each still with a capacity of sixteen barrels or less, shall pay a license tax of twenty dollars.

On each still with a capacity of over sixteen barrels and not more than twenty barrels, shall pay a license tax of thirty-five dollars.

On each still with a capacity of more than twenty barrels and not over twenty-five barrels, shall pay a license tax of forty-five dollars.

On each still with a capacity of twenty-five barrels or over, shall pay a license of sixty-five dollars.

SEC. 791. Retort plants (Wood distillation plants).—Retort plants with a capacity of twenty-five barrels, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars; less than twenty-five and more than fifteen barrels, fifteen dollars; less than fifteen barrels and more than ten, ten dollars.

SEC. 979. Saw mills, planing mills, dry kilns.—Saw mills, including planing mills and dry kilns, shall pay a license tax as follows:

With a daily capacity of ten thousand feet or less, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars: Provided, That saw mills cutting less than three thousand feet per day shall pay no license.

With a daily capacity of more than ten thousand feet and less than twenty-five thousand feet, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars.

With a daily capacity of twenty-five thousand feet and less than fifty thousand feet, shall pay a license tax of fifty dollars.

With a daily capacity of more than fifty thousand feet, shall pay a license tax of one hundred dollars.

SEC. 980. **Shingle mills.**—Shingle mills, whether connected with a saw mill or not, shall pay a license tax as follows:

With a daily capacity of twenty-five thousand shingles or more, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars.

With a daily capacity of less than twenty-five thousand shingles, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars.

Secondary Operations.

SEC. 867. **Carriage or wagon factories.**—Carriage or wagon factories, owners or managers of, shall pay a license tax of five dollars.

SEC. 893. **Furniture dealers.**—Furniture, dealers in, with a capital of seventy-five thousand dollars or more, shall pay a license tax of fifty dollars; with a capital less than seventy-five thousand and not less than fifty thousand dollars, shall pay a license tax of thirty-five dollars.

With a capital less than fifty thousand and not less than twenty-five thousand dollars, shall pay a license tax of twenty dollars, and with a capital less than twenty-five thousand dollars, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars. Provided, that this does not apply to persons paying a merchant's license.

SEC. 920. **Lumber dealers.**—Lumber dealers, carrying a stock on hand and selling at retail, shall pay a license tax of fifteen dollars.

Buying or selling on commission or exporting, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars.

SEC. 923. **Manufacturers, etc.**—Manufacturers of barrels, tubs and buckets, by machinery, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars.

Manufacturers of turpentine barrels, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars for each factory.

Manufacturers of vegetable crates or fruit crates shall pay a license tax of fifteen dollars.

Manufacturers of sash, doors and blinds, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars.

Manufacturers of furniture, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars.

Manufacture of pencils or cedar slats employing twenty-five hands or more, shall pay a license tax of twenty-five dollars; employing less than twenty-five hands, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars.

SEC. 937. Naval stores factors, etc.—Naval stores factors, or persons, firms or corporations organized for the purpose of handling naval stores, shall pay a license tax as follows:

Having a capital stock of two million dollars or over, pay a license tax of five hundred dollars for each place of business.

Having a capital stock of one million and less than two million dollars, shall pay a license tax of two hundred and fifty dollars for each place of business.

Having a capital stock of less than one million dollars and more than five hundred thousand dollars, one hundred and fifty dollars for each place of business.

Having a capital stock of five hundred thousand dollars and more than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, one hundred dollars for each place of business.

Having a capital stock of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars and more than one hundred thousand dollars fifty dollars for each place of business.

Having a capital stock of one hundred thousand dollars or less, twenty-five dollars for each place of business.

SEC. 958. **Planing mills.**—Planing mills and novelty works, not connected with saw mills, shall pay a license tax of ten dollars.

SEC. 991. **Wagon factories.**—Wagon factories shall pay a license tax of ten dollars.

EXEMPTION.

SEC. 996. **Farm and grove products exempt from license tax.**—That all farm and grove products, and products manufactured therefrom, except intoxicating liquors, wine or beer, shall be exempt from all forms of license tax, State, county and municipal, when the same is being offered for sale or sold by the farmer or grower producing the said products.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on County and County Matters, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 830. A bill to amend an Act abolishing Paulding Board of Commissioners.

The following resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 193. A resolution that until otherwise ordered, beginning next Tuesday

morning that the House convene at nine o'clock, and that the House have afternoon sessions beginning at three o'clock.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Resolution No. 192. A resolution relative to holding up of "The Capitol Removal Bill" until after trip of General Assembly to Savannah.

By Mr. McDonald of Richmond—

House Resolution No. 194. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Hon. Geo. B. Barrett of Augusta.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules for a second reading and for the purpose of disagreeing to the unfavorable report of the committee, was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Watkins of Butts—

House Bill No. 6. A bill to repeal an Act to regulate the return and assessment of property for taxation in this State.

The bill had been read the second time.

On the question of agreeing to the report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill, Mr. Reagan of Henry moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the question of agreeing to the report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill, the Ayes were 56, Nays 107, and the report of the committee was not agreed to.

Mr. Watkins of Butts moved that the House disagree to the report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill.

Mr. Stovall, of McDuffie, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On this question Mr. Bentley of Fulton called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Collier	Greene
Anderson	Corbitt	Gunnels
Baldwin	Culpepper	Haddock
Beck	Daniel of Troup	Harris
Bird of Taliaferro	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hawkins
Bleckley	DeLaPerriere	Henderson
Bloodworth	Dickerson	Herring
Bohe	Dixon	Hillhouse
Bowden	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Braddy	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brown of Hancock	Ennis	Hodges
Brownlee	Evans	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Ficklen	Holloway
Camp	Fletcher	Horne
Carr	Fowler	Houser
Carswell	Foy	Houston
Childs	Frank	Howard of Forsyth
Clark of Colquitt	Grant	Howard of Screven
Clark of Webster	Griffin	Hullender
Clifton	Griffith	Hyman

Jackson	Mundy	Stovall
Jones of Walker	Neal of Union	Sumner of Johnson
Johnson of Bartow	Owen	Sumner of Wheeler
Johnson of	Patten	Swift
Chattahoochee	Peterson	Swindle
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Tatum
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Thompson of Dodge
Kittrell	Pickren	Van Landingham
Knight	Pilcher	Van Zant
Langford of Hall	Price	Walker
Lankford of Toombs	Pruett	Watkins
Lewis	Ramsey	Way
Logan	Reagan	Webb
Luke	Reville	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Ricketson	Whitworth
McClure	Russell	Williams of Harris
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Miller
Richmond	Salmon	Williams of Walton
McGarity	Sapp	Wimberly
McMichael	Shettlesworth	Wood
Maddox	Sibley	Woodard
Malone	Singleary	Worthy
Mayo	Smiley	Wyatt
Mixon	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Moore of Appling	Steele	
Moore of Fulton	Stone	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Davis of Floyd	King of Jefferson
Arnold	DeFoor	McDonald of Mitchell
Atkinson	Dobbs	MacIntyre
Beckham	Dudley	Manning
Bentley	Dykes	Mason
Blalock	Folsom	Miles
Boatwright	Gresham	Moye
Boswell	Grovenstein	Nichols
Bowen	Guess	Parks
Branch	Hamilton	Parrish
Brannen	Hatcher of Burke	Penland
Brantley	Hatcher of Muscogee	Perkins
Brown of Emanuel	Hunter	Perryman
Bush	Jones of Coweta	Riley
Coates	Johnson of Pickens	Robinson

Smith of Carroll	Thompson of Coweta	Vocelle
Smith of Haralson	Turner	Weston
Smith of Meriwether	Tyson	Winship
Strickland	Valentino	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Boyett	Gann	Trippe
Bozeman	Hufstetler	Wall
Collins	Jones of Thomas	Whitley
Cowart	King of Wilcox	Whitaker of Lowndes
Daniel of Heard	Mann	Mr. Speaker
DuBose	Quincey	

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the question of disagreeing to the report of the committee the Ayes were 134, Nays 56.

The motion of Mr. Watkins of Butts prevailed, the report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to, and the bill took its proper place upon the calendar.

Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Salmon of Floyd and Kennedy of Laurens.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Thursday, July 27, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, read the second time, and re-committed:

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 853. A bill to amend an Act relative to the incorporation of the City of St. Marys.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.

4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.

5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot:

House Resolution No. 196 (864A). A resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate penal institutions.

Referred to Committee on Penitentiary.

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 197 (869A). A resolution appointing committee to investigate report of State College of Agriculture and Department of Agriculture.

Lie on table.

By Messrs. Turner of Brooks and Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 856. A bill to amend an Act authorizing State Highway Department to regulate weight of vehicles going over bridges.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Hunter and Valentino of Chatham—

A bill to amend the charter of the City of Savannah.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Clarke and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 858. A bill to require officers of State to attest signing of documents in certain cases.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke—

House Bill No. 859. A bill to appropriate \$15,000 to University of Georgia for use of State College of Agriculture.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 860. A bill to extend the corporate limits of the City of Columbus.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Pickren of Charlton—

House Bill No. 861. A bill to require non-residents of Charlton County to secure licenses to fish in said County.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 862. A bill to require the teaching of the Constitution in the schools of the State.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Reville and Pilcher of Richmond—

House Bill No. 863. A bill to amend Section 6065 of Code of 1910 relative to official organ of certain counties.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Turner of Brooks—

House Bill No. 864. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts, relative to definition of “trailer” and other words.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 865. A bill to appropriate money to pay debt due on public printing, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson—

House Bill No. 866. A bill to appropriate money to contingent fund for the Governor.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 867. A bill to appropriate money for upkeep of public buildings and grounds.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 868. A bill to appropriate money to pay insurance premiums on State property.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 869. A bill to amend sections 696 and 697 of Code of 1910, relative to laying out and opening of public roads.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 854.

House Bill No. 849.

McDONALD of Richmond,

Chairman.

Mr. Gunnels of Franklin County, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me a Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute:

House Bill No. 327.

GUNNELLS, of Franklin,

Chairman.

Mr. Van Landingham of Seminole County, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Banking, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Banks and Banking have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report same back to the House with the recommendation that

House Bills Nos. 801 and 754 do pass, and that House Bill No. 712 do not pass.

VAN LANDINGHAM of Seminole,

Chairman.

Mr. Mason of Hart County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Libraries, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Libraries have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

House Bill No. 734.

MASON of Hart,

Chairman.

Mr. Hyman of Washington County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass:

House Bill No. 814.

HYMAN of Washington,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments of the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate respectively and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Resolution No. 188, by amendment.

Senate Bill No. 42.

LANKFORD of Toombs,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 798.

PICKREN of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden County, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fish, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 214.

VOCELLE of Camden,

Chairman.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chair-

man, to report same back to the House with the recommendation as follows :

House Bill No. 744, do pass.

Senate Bill No. 172, do pass.

House Bill No. 775, do pass.

Senate Bill No. 174, do pass.

House Bill No. 684, do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 663, do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 569, do pass by substitute.

GUESS, Chairman.

Mr. Hullender of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker :

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and resolutions, to-wit :

House Resolution No. 156 (737B). A resolution to elect members of the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Jasper County by popular vote.

House Bill No. 425. A bill to create a new charter for the Town of Fry, Fannin County.

House Bill No. 559. A bill to change the terms of holding court of Swainesboro.

House Bill No. 584. A bill to amend the charter of the City Court of Claxton.

House Bill No. 598. A bill to amend Section 1249 of the Code of 1910 relative to the selection of banks by the Governor so as to include the City of Waynesboro.

House Bill No. 600. A bill to amend the Act relative to the fire department of City of Augusta.

House Bill No. 602. A bill to amend an Act to establish the Public Schools for Warrenton.

House Bill No. 604. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Nicholson, in Jackson County.

House Bill No. 616. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts incorporating the Town of Whigham.

House Bill No. 646. A bill to abolish the local school system for the Town of Stapleton.

House Bill No. 661. A bill to amend an Act establishing a charter for the City of Sylvester.

House Bill No. 681. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Statesboro.

House Bill No. 687. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Waynesboro.

House Bill No. 696. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Americus.

House Bill No. 697. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Fitzgerald.

House Bill No. 702. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Colquitt.

House Bill No. 703. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the Town of Canton, Cherokee County.

House Bill No. 727. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Clarksville, Habersham County.

House Bill No. 733. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Elberton, Elbert County.

House Bill No. 755. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Chamblee, DeKalb County.

House Bill No. 761. A bill to vest title to certain lands in Commons of City of Columbus.

House Bill No. 772. A bill to repeal an Act establishing Public School system in Abbeville, Wilcox County.

House Bill No. 778. A bill to amend an Act relative to City Court of Oglethorpe, Macon County.

House Bill No. 790. A bill to repeal an Act establishing system of Public Schools of Alamo, Wheeler County.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa,

Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bills, to-wit:

House Bill No. 559. A bill to change the terms of the City Court of Swainsboro.

House Bill No. 598. A bill to create a State depository at Waynesboro, Ga.

The following bills as amended:

House Bill No. 683. A bill to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jasper County.

House Bill No. 772. A bill to repeal an Act establishing a system of Public Schools in Wilcox County.

House Bill No. 778. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act establishing a City Court for the City of Oglethorpe.

House Bill No. 790. A bill to repeal an Act establishing a system of Public Schools for the City of Alamo.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House resolutions, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 156. A resolution to elect members of the Commission of Roads and Revenues of Jasper County by popular vote.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bills, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 230. A bill authorizing Legislature to add one or more additional Judges of Superior Court for the Stone Mountain Circuit.

Senate Bill No. 197. A bill to amend an Act placing Solicitor-General of Cherokee Circuit on salary.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills and resolutions:

Senate Bill No. 263. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Eastman, in the County of Dodge; to define its jurisdiction and powers, and for other purposes.

Senate Bill No. 218. A bill to be entitled an Act to incorporate the City of Jesup; to provide for the election of officers and fixing their salaries, their term of office, their right of taxation, their right to control public property for school purposes, etc., and for other purposes.

Senate Bill No. 242. An Act entitled an Act to amend the charter of the City of Covington, Georgia, Laws 1918, Sections 10 and 16, pages 635 and 638 respectively, and for other purposes.

Senate Resolution No. 84. A resolution authorizing Secretary of State to accept surrender of charter of Chattanooga Rapid Transit Company and authorize Chattanooga Railway and Light Company to cease operating of cars upon that line of railroad constructed by Chattanooga Rapid Transit Company, and for other purposes.

Senate Bill No. 253. A bill to amend an Act protecting fur-bearing animals of the State of Georgia.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 172. A bill carrying into effect amendment to Constitution abolishing Justice Courts in Atlanta.

By Mr. Clay of the 39th—

Senate Bill No. 174. A bill to amend Section 958 of Penal Code of 1910 to provide bail in misdemeanor cases.

By Mr. Haralson of the 40th—

Senate Bill No. 214. A bill to give Federal authority right to establish rules for protection of game and fish.

By Mr. Golucke of the 19th—

Senate Bill No. 42. A bill to amend Paragraph

22, Section 1, Article 1, of the Constitution relative to the carrying of pistols.

By Messrs. Swift of Elbert and others—

House Resolution No. 188 (840A). A resolution to amend Constitution relative to power of General Assembly over payment of Confederate veterans and their widows.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 327. A bill to require the date of manufacture to be stamped on automobile tires.

By Messrs. Valentino of Chatham and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 569. A bill to amend the General Tax Act of 1921 relative to bill boards.

By Messrs. Davis of Oglethorpe, Keith of Meriwether, and others—

House Bill No. 663. A bill to make it unlawful for people to enter a conspiracy to prevent or hindering one's occupation.

By Messrs. Carswell of Wilkinson and Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 684. A bill relative to the protection and safety of employees and passengers of common carriers.

By Mr. Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 734. A bill to give counties of the State the right to establish free public libraries.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 744. A bill to make it a violation of the law to issue a check with intent to defraud.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 754. A bill to amend Section 2820 of Code of 1910 relative to capital stock of trust companies.

By Messrs. Moore of Fulton, Duncan of Hall, and others—

House Bill No. 775. A bill to empower county authorities to keep in repair places of holding Justice Courts.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 798. A bill to amend an Act by substitution creating a new charter for Hazelhurst.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 801. A bill to amend Section 1249 of Code of 1910, relative to including City of Collins among State Depositories.

By Messrs. Houser and Jackson of Houston, and others—

House Bill No. 849. A bill to place the Solicitor-General of the Macon Judicial Circuit on a salary.

By Messrs. Hyman and Hawkins of Washington—

House Bill No. 854. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Sandersville.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 829. A bill to incorporate the Inman School District, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 131, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 725. A bill to amend an Act to create a Bond Commission for Ware County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 127, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Dixon of Jenkins—

House Bill No. 746. A bill to amend an Act to •

establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jenkins County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 128, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed.

By Mr. Franks of Towns—

House Bill No. 750. A bill to prohibit the catching of fish in the waters of Brastown Creek, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 129, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. McClure and Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 785. A bill to amend an Act to amend an Act to amend an Act to give the Commissioners of Roads and Revenue, Ordinary, or County Judge certain power and authority in certain counties.

The committee substitute was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed by substitute.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 841. A bill to create the City Court of Lyons.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 840. A bill to abolish the City Court of Toombs County, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 136, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 837. A bill to repeal an Act to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Taylor County, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 828. A bill to amend an Act to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues in and for Ben Hill County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 131, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. McClure and Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 817. A bill to amend an Act abolishing the Board of Roads and Revenues and creating the Board of Commissioners for the County of Walker, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 836. A bill to create the office of County Treasurer of Taylor County, and for other purposes.

The committee substitute was read and adopted

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed by substitute.

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 797. A bill to make it unlawful for any person to kill and butcher any cow, hog, sheep or goat away from the premises of the owner in the County of Liberty without posting a description of the animal so slaughtered; to prescribe the punishment therefor, and for other purposes.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

In the caption in the sixth line following the word "owner" strike the words "the County of Liberty" and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "Counties having a population not less than twelve

thousand seven hundred twenty (12,720) nor more than thirteen thousand (13,000).''

In Section 1 in the sixth line following the words "sheep or goat" strike the words "the County of Liberty" and insert in lieu thereof the following words: "Counties having a population not less than twelve thousand seven hundred twenty (12,720) nor more than thirteen thousand (13,000)."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed as amended.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bills, to-wit:

House Bill No. 425. A bill to create a new charter for the Town of Fry.

House Bill No. 755. A bill to amend an Act incorporating City of Chamblee.

House Bill No. 703. A bill to reincorporate the Town of Canton.

House Bill No. 727. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for City of Clarkesville.

House Bill No. 661. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for City of Sylvester.

House Bill No. 761. A bill to vest the title to Lot No. 3 in Block 66 of Commons of City of Columbus.

House Bill No. 604. A bill to amend charter of Town of Nicholson.

House Bill No. 696. A bill to amend an Act to amend the several Acts granting corporate authority to City of Americus.

House Bill No. 681. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Statesboro.

House Bill No. 616. A bill to amend several Acts granting corporate authority to Town of Whigham.

House Bill No. 584. A bill to amend charter of City of Claxton.

House Bill No. 687. A bill to amend charter of City of Waynesboro.

House Bill No. 646. A bill to abolish the local School System for the Town of Appleton.

House Bill No. 600. A bill to amend an Act to improve the fire department of the City of Augusta.

House Bill No. 773. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Elberton.

House Bill No. 697. A bill to amend charter of City of Fitzgerald relative to registration of voters.

House Bill No. 702. A bill to amend an Act creating the City of Colquitt.

The following bill as amended:

House Bill No. 714. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Statesboro.

The Senate has passed by the requisite Constitutional majority the following House resolutions, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 191. A resolution accepting the invitation of the City of Savannah to inspect the proposed harbor in said City.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 199. *Be it resolved* by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly of Georgia deeply appreciates the many courtesies shown the General Assembly of Georgia by the citizens of the City of Atlanta; and,

Be it further resolved, That our thanks be tendered to Mayor Key for the splendid dinner and entertainment tendered by him to the General Assembly of Georgia during this the 1922 session.

Be it further resolved, That we assure Mayor Key and the City of Atlanta that the many acts of kindness will always be remembered and appreciated and we will be glad to be of service to them.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mayor Key.

The following bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to a committee:

Senate Bill No. 173. A bill to abolish an Act regulating the practice of occupation of barbers.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

A communication from the State Tax Commissioner was read and referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

The following resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

By Mr. McClure of Walker—

House Resolution No. 198. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Mr. W. P. Jackson.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Mr. Charles Redding.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration an order of business, have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report as follows:

House Resolution No. 149 to be taken up immediately, special and continuing order, after disposition House Bill No. 69. (Debate limited to ten minutes.)

Senate Bill No. 1, for a second reading and agreeing or disagreeing to the report of the Committee, to follow immediately after the consideration of House Resolution No. 149. (Debate limited to ten minutes to side).

House Bill No. 205. Income Tax.

House Bill No. 449. Classification Tax.

MUNDY, Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup called for a division of the report.

1. Making House Resolution No. 149 a special order.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

House Resolution No. 149 was set as a special order.

2. Making Senate Bill No. 1 a special order.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order, was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 1 was set as a special order.

3. Making House Bill No. 205 a special order.

Mr. Beck of Carroll moved the previous question;

the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question, and the motion was lost.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, was agreed to.

On the vote to establish this as a special order of business the Ayes were 88, Nays 74.

This not being the requisite constitutional majority House Bill No. 205 was not established as a special order.

4. Making House Bill No. 449 a special order.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On agreeing to the report of the Committee, which was favorable to the adoption of that order of business, the Ayes were 63, Nays 85, and the report of the Committee was disagreed to, and the recommendation of the Committee on Rules to set House Bill No. 449 as a special order was lost.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to agree to the report of the Committee on Rules to set House Bill No. 449 as a special order.

Mr. Bowden of Ware moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and the report of the Committee on Rules went over as unfinished business with the motion of Mr. Arnold of Clay pending.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Moore of Appling, McClelland of DeKalb, and Swift of Elbert.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Friday, July 28, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Frank
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobc	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Lyrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

The following message was received from the

Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bills to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 178. A bill to authorize the authorities of various Counties of this State to prescribe the fiscal year of such county.

Senate Bill No. 258. A bill to amend an Act abolishing a Board of Roads and Revenues and creating a Board of Commissioners for the County of Walker.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 797.

The Journal of yesterday's proceedings was read.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 633 was re-committed to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 for the purpose of reconsidering the action of said committee in reporting the bill unfavorably.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.

3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.

4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.

5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Resolution No. 200. (879A). A resolution providing for a school building site on the State Farm.

Referred to Committee on Public Property.

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Resolution No. 201. (879-B). A resolution providing for the purchase of a portrait of Hugh McCall.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Sapp of Whitfield—

House Resolution No. 202. (879-C) A resolution providing for appointment of Committee to investigate acoustics of House.

Referred to Committee on Public Property.

By Mr. Logan of Banks—

House Bill No. 870. A bill to amend the School Laws of Georgia, relative to reading of Bible in public schools.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Pilcher, Reville and McDonald of Richmond—

House Bill No. 871. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Augusta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. McClure of Walker and Boatwright of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 872. A bill to amend an Act creating the Department of Public Printing.

Referred to Committee on Public Printing.

By Messrs. Culpepper of Fayette and McMichael of Marion— •

House Bill No. 873. A bill to appropriate additional money for the Military establishment of the State.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Daniel of Troup and Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 874. A bill to regulate and prescribe the appointment of the State Veterinarian.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture
No. 1.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 875. A bill to amend the School
Laws of Georgia, relative to vocal music.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 876. A bill to amend an Act
known as “Tattnall Board of Commissioners, creat-
ed.”

Referred to Committee on Counties and County
Matters.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 877. A bill to amend an Act known
as “Tattnall Road Law Adopted.”

Referred to Committee on Counties and County
Matters.

By Messrs. Perryman of Talbot, Knight of Berrien,
and others—

House Bill No. 878. A bill to repeal Art. 1 of the
Penal Code of 1910, relative to the Board of Par-
dons.

Referred to Committee on Penitentiaries.

By Mr. Sapp of Whitfield—

House Bill No. 879. A bill providing that good or bad behavior of defendant shall be submitted to jury in all felony cases.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. Perryman of Talbot County, Chairman of the Committee on Penitentiary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Penitentiary have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 518.

PERRYMAN of Talbot, Chairman.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 866.

House Bill No. 867.

House Bill No. 868.

CULPEPPER of Fayette, Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute as amended:

House Bill No. 592.

LANKFORD of Toombs, Chairman.

Mr. Turner, of Brooks County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Highways, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Highways have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 796. Do pass by substitute as amended.

House Bill No. 825. Do pass as amended as substitute for House Bill No. 796.

House Bill No. 856. Do pass.

House Bill No. 864. Do pass.

House Bill No. 800. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 673. No not pass.

House Bill No. 752. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 710. Do not pass.

MR. TURNER, Chairman.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 830.

Senate Bill No. 182.

Senate Bill No. 219.

Respectfully submitted,

MOYE, of Randolph, Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, has submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker :

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows :

House Bill No. 764. Do pass by substitute.

House Bill No. 557. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 858. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 853. Do pass.

House Bill No. 682. Do pass.

House Bill No. 860. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 765. Do pass by substitute.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CAMP DAVIS, of Floyd,

Chairman.

The following messages from His Excellency, the Governor, were read :

STATE OF GEORGIA :
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ATLANTA.

To The General Assembly of Georgia :

I am now and have always been of the opinion that

the Tax Equalization law ought to be repealed, but it cannot and should not be repealed unless and until some adequate way of supplying the revenue that will thereby be lost shall be supplied.

It is conservatively estimated that the State will lose at least two million dollars of its revenue by the repeal of this law, consequently that amount of revenue must be supplied for the State in some other way, by income-tax, or otherwise, before the Equalization law is repealed, or its repeal becomes effective. If it is supplied, concurrently with the repeal, we can and should repeal the Equalization law.

It should be borne in mind, however, that the income-tax amendment must be submitted to the people for ratification at the approaching November election and cannot become effective until it is approved by the people at that election. Consequently, the repeal of the Tax Equalization law should not become effective until January 1, 1924, even if the income-tax bill also passes.

If the people ratify the income-tax bill, then the same can be put in operation by January 1, 1924, before any loss in revenue occurs from the repeal of the Equalization law. If the people do not ratify the income-tax bill, the General Assembly will have opportunity, during its 1923 session, to provide for the loss of revenue occasioned by the repeal of the Equalization law.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

STATE OF GEORGIA:
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ATLANTA.

July 17, 1921.

HON. CECIL NEILL,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I am inclosing you herewith information with respect to legislative agents, as requested by Resolution recently adopted by your body, as the same is furnished to me by the Secretary of State.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas, it is of utmost importance to the members of the House, and great interest to the legislative work of the State, that the name of registered legislative agents, registering with the Secretary of State, be furnished the House, from time to time, and,

Whereas, It is of like importance and interest, that the cause or interest for which agents register, be furnished the members of the House, Therefore

Resolved by the House of Representatives in session, that the Secretary of State be instructed to transmit, in writing, weekly, to the Governor of said State, the name or names of such registered legislative agents, together with the cause or causes for which they are registered to represent; and

Resolved, that His Excellency the Governor be requested to transmit such information, so imparted by the Secretary of State, weekly, by his written message, or in any manner he may see fit to impart such information to the members of this House.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE.

I, S. G. McLendon, Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify, That the one page of typewritten matter hereto attached is a true copy of the registration of legislative agents for 1921, as the same appear of record in this office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office, at the Capitol, in the City of Atlanta, this sixth day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and twenty-two and of the Independence of the United States of America the One Hundred and Forty-sixth.

S. G. McLENDON,

Secretary of State.

LEGISLATIVE AGENTS REGISTERED WITH
THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR 1921.

Name of Attorney of Agent—W. A. Dodson, Americus, Ga.; Firm or Assn. Represented—Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, Filed, June 27, 1921; Subject Matter—Opposing Capitol Removal and Favor Exchange of Mansion Property; Fee, \$25.00. Name of Atty. or Agt.—Joe Hill Hall, Macon, Ga.; Firm or Assn. Represented—Ga. Ry. & Power Company, Filed June 29, 1921; Subject Matter—Opposing “Amending Constitution which prohibits creating debts on part of State, Counties and Municipalities”; Fee, \$25.00.

Name of Atty. or Agt.—T. G. Hudson, Americus, Ga.; Firm or Assn. Represented—American Agricultural Co., Savannah, Ga.; Subject Matter—Opposing Fertilizer Bill; Fee, \$25.00.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Knight of Berrien and Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 518. A bill to amend Section 1229 of Penl Code of 1910 relative to insane convicts in State Sanitarium.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 592. A bill to amend the constitution relative to abolishing fees of certain officers in certain counties.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 682. A bill to make it unlawful for State Officers to accept a gift from one trading with them.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 764. A bill to require mortgages on stocks of goods to be recorded in ten days.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 765. A bill to carry into effect amendment to constitution, relative to Judge of Chattahoochee Circuit.

By Mr. Williams of Harris—

House Bill No. 766. A bill to amend and reorganize the State Highway Department of Georgia.

By Messrs. Turner of Brooks and Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 856. A bill to amend the Act creating the State Highway Department.

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 825. A bill to amend the act creating the "State Highway Department."

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 825. A bill to amend the act creating the State Highway Department."

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 860. A bill to extend the limits of the City of Columbus, Muscogee County.

By Mr. Turner of Brooks—

House Bill No. 864. A bill to amend an Act and amendatory Acts relative to trailers and other motor vehicles.

By Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson—

House Bill No. 866. A bill to appropriate money to the contingent fund.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 867. A bill to appropriate money to upkeep of Public Buildings.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 868. A bill to appropriate money to pay insurance premiums due on state property.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 182. A bill to fix the compensation of the Treasurer of Clayton County.

By Mr. David of the 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 219. A bill to repeal an Act amending road laws of Georgia in Gordon County.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 781. A bill to amend an Act to amend an Act to provide for payment of Court Cost in certain counties.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 798. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the City of Hazlehurst.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 801. A bill to amend Code of 1910

relative to selection, by Governor, of banks in certain cities and towns in order to add the name of the City of Collins.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 151, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 830. A bill to amend an Act abolishing Paulding Board of Commissioners.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 768. A bill to prevent those who live in a Militia District that has the no-fence law from voting in any county election for fence or no fence law held in counties of certain population and for other purposes.

The following committee amendments were read and adopted:

In the caption in the seventh line following the words “according to” strike the words “U. S. Census of 1920,” and insert in lieu thereof the following words, “the last available U. S. Census.”

In Section 2, in the seventh and eight lines following the words “according to the” strike the words “U. S. Census of 1920,” and insert in lieu thereof the following words: “last available U. S. Census.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Messrs. Houser and Jackson of Houston, Fowler of Bibb, and others—

House Bill No. 849. A bill to place the Solicitor General of the Macon Judicial Circuit upon a salary.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 124, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 853. A bill to amend an Act to

amend, consolidate, and supersede the several Acts incorporating the City of St. Mary's.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Hyman and Hawkins of Washington—

House Bill No. 854. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Sandersville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 172. A bill to carry into effect in the City of Atlanta, the amendment to the constitution relative to abolition of Justice Courts and Justice of the Peace.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills and resolutions of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 218. A bill to incorporate the City of Jesup.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 178. A bill to authorize the authorities of the various counties to prescribe time for fiscal year as regard to taxes.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. David of 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 197. A bill to amend the Act placing Solicitor General of Cherokee Circuit on salary.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Campbell of 34th and Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 230. A bill authorizing Legislature to add one or more additional **Judges of the** Superior Court for the Stone Mountain Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Campbell of 34th—

Senate Bill No. 242. A bill to amend charter of the City of Covington.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Hutchens of 38th—

Senate Bill No. 253. A bill to amend an Act to protect fur bearing animals of State of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. Pope of 44th—

Senate Bill No. 258. A bill to amend an Act abolishing the Board of Roads and Revenues and creating a Board of Commissioners for the County of Walker.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Peacock of 48th—

Senate Bill No. 263. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Eastman.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Pope of 44th—

Senate Resolution No. 84. A resolution authorizing Secretary of State to accept surrender of charter of Chattanooga Rapid Transit Company, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Railroads.

The following bills of the House were taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments:

By Mr. Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 565. A bill to provide for a salary for the Treasurer of Schley County, and for other purposes.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend Section 1, by striking the figures “1923,” and inserting in lieu thereof the figures “1925.”

By Mr. Phillips of Jasper—

House Bill No. 683. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Jasper.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by striking the words and figures “Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars” and inserting in lieu thereof the figures “Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars” wherever they occur in the caption and sections of the bill.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bulloch—

House Bill No. 714. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Statesboro.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by striking all of Section 2 thereof after the words "costs bill" in 10th line of said section and inserting the following: "Then so much of said fund not so absorbed shall be paid on the insolvent cost bill of the Sheriff of said court for the preceding year, in event said Sheriff shall have an insolvent cost bill for said year unpaid at said time."

Mr. Lankford, of Toombs, moved that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 797.

Mr. Wyatt, of Troup, moved the previous question.

On this motion Mr. Arnold of Clay called for the Ayes and Nays.

Mr. Williams of Walton moved that the House do now adjourn.

On this motion Mr. Arnold of Clay called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion of Mr. Williams of Walton that the House do now adjourn was lost.

The call for the Ayes and Nays on the motion for the previous question was not sustained.

The motion of Mr. Wyatt of Troup calling the previous question prevailed.

On the question of ordering the main question Mr. Arnold of Clay called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The main question was ordered.

Mr. Lankford, of Toombs, moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question.

On the motion Mr. Arnold of Clay called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion of Mr. Lankford, of Toombs, that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question was lost.

On the motion that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 797, Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion to reconsider the passing of House Bill No. 797 was lost.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bill to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 271. A bill to repeal law providing for special attorney to Railroad Commission.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Resolutions, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 124. A resolution to ap-

propriate \$1,500 to pay expenses incurred by committee investigating tax system.

House Resolution No. 199. A resolution thanking the Mayor and citizens of Atlanta for the entertainment given them July 26, 1922.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved that the House do now adjourn until Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Br. Beck of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the motion to adjourn Mr. Lankford of Toombs called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion to adjourn was lost.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 197. A resolution calling for appointment of committee to examine and investigate certain information from the Commissioner of Agriculture in pursuance with House Resolution No. 127.

The Speaker appointed the following committee under the above resolution:

Messrs. Arnold of Clay, Daniel of Troup, Kittrell of Laurens.

Under the order of unfinished business the report

of the Committee on Rules was taken up for further consideration with the pending motion of Mr. Arnold of Clay, that the House reconsider its action in failing to agree to the report of the Committee on Rules to set House Bill No. 449 as a special order, before the House.

The motion was lost.

Mr. Bentley, of Fulton, moved that when the House adjourn today it stand adjourned until Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved the previous question.

On this motion Mr. Lankford of Toombs called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion for the previous question prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion that when the House adjourn today it stand adjourned until Monday morning at 11 o'clock prevailed.

The following bill and resolution of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Clark of Webster—

House Bill No. 691. A bill regulating the manner which the several Tax Collectors of this State shall account and settle with the school authorities for school taxes and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 1.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 149. A resolution calling for appointment of a joint committee to investigate the records, deeds, activities and operations of the State Highway Department.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

Amend by adding the following: "Resolved further they shall have authority to investigate the difference or discrepancies in its reports submitted at the session of 1921 and its report submitted in 1922, showing the amount of money spent in each county."

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Hatcher of Muscogee as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose, and through their Chairman reported the resolution

back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Corbitt	Hines of Decatur
Anderson	Culpepper	Hodges
Arnold	Daniel of Troup	Holland
Beck	Davis of Floyd	Holloway
Beckham	DeFoor	Horne
Bentley	DeLaPerriere	Houser
Blalock	Dickerson	Houston
Bleckley	Dixon	Howard of Screven
Bloodworth	Duncan of Dawson	Hyman
Boatwright	Duncan of Hall	Jackson
Bobo	Evans	Jones of Coweta
Bowden	Fowler	Jones of Walker
Boyett	Foy	Johnson of Bartow
Bozeman	Grant	Johnson of
Braddy	Gresham	Chattahoochee
Branch	Griffin	Johnson of Pickens
Brantley	Greene	Keith
Brown of Emanuel	Grovenstein	King of Jefferson
Brown of Hancock	Guess	King of Wilcox
Brownlee	Gunnels	Kittrell
Bush	Haddock	Knight
Carr	Harris	Langford of Hall
Childs	Hatcher of Burke	Lankford of Toombs
Clark of Colquitt	Hatcher of Muscogee	Lewis
Clark of Webster	Hawkins	Logan
Clifton	Henderson	Luke
Collier	Herring	McClure
Collins	Hillhouse	McDonald of Mitchell

McDonald of	Pilcher	Thompson of Coweta
Richmond	Price	Thompson of Dodge
MacIntyre	Pruett	Trippe
McMichael	Ricketson	Van Landingham
Maddox	Riley	Vocelle
Mason	Robinson	Walker
Mixon	Rutherford	Wall
Moore of Fulton	Sapp	Watkins
Moye	Shettlesworth	Way
Mundy	Sibley	Webb
Neal of Union	Singletary	Whitaker of Rockdale
Nichols	Smiley	Whitworth
Parks	Smith of Bryan	Williams of Harris
Parrish	Smith of Carroll	Williams of Miller
Penland	Steele	Wood
Peterson	Stovall	Woodard
Phillips of Jasper	Sumner of Johnson	Worthy
Phillips of Telfair	Sumner of Wheeler	Wynne
Pickren	Tatum	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Dobbs	Strickland	Wimberly
Jones of Thomas		

Those not voting were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Ennis	Mann
Atkinson	Ficklen	Manning
Baldwin	Fletcher	Mayo
Bird of Taliaferro	Folsom	Miles
Boswell	Franks	Moore of Appling
Bowen	Gann	Owen
Brannen	Griffith	Patten
Byrd of Crisp	Hamilton	Perkins
Camp	Hines of Sumter	Perryman
Carswell	Howard of Forsyth	Quincey
Coates	Hufstetler	Ramsey
Cowart	Hullender	Reagan
Daniel of Heard	Hunter	Reville
Davis of Oglethorpe	Kennedy	Russell
DuBose	McLelland	Salmon
Dudley	McGarity	Smith of Haralson
Dykes	Malone	Smith of Meriwether

Stone	Valentino	Williams of Walton
Swift	Van Zant	Winship
Swindle	Weston	Wyatt
Turner	Whitley	Mr. Speaker
Tyson	Whitaker of Lowndes	

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 138, Nays 4.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

Mr. Bowden of Ware moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Bobo of Wilkes.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

Monday, July 31, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 10 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Langford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleton	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the **thirty** minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

House Bill No. 890. A bill to repeal Sec. 1578, Art. 1, Code of 1910, relative to discharge of lunatics.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 891. A bill to make it a misdemeanor to interfere with gas pipes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Davis of Oglethorpe—

House Bill No. 892. A bill to establish a State Depository in Crawford, Oglethorpe County.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary
No. 1.

By Mr. Atkinson of Chatham—

House Bill No. 893. A bill to appropriate \$25,000
to assist in building dormitory at G. S. I. C.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and
Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Gann & Dobbs of Cobb—

House Bill No. 894. A bill to amend charter of
the city of Marietta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Ful-
ton—

House Bill No. 895. A bill to amend the charter
of the City of East Point, relative to issuance of
bonds.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Ful-
ton—

House Bill No. 896. A bill to amend the charter
of the city of East Point, relative to civil service
department.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 897. A bill to amend the charter of the city of East Point, relative to wards.

Referred to the Commttee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 898. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Thomasville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Greene of Jones—

House Resolution No. 204. (897A). A resolution providing for election of more than one member of Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jones County.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture No. 2.

By Mr. Wood of Twiggs—

House Bill No. 880. A bill to amend an Act establishing a new charter for the city of Jeffersonville.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Bozeman of Worth and Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 881. A bill to amend section 5898 of code of 1910, relative to the transmission of interrogatories.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. DeLaPerriere and Swindle of Jackson—

House Bill No. 882. A bill to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Jackson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 883. A bill to tax Gypsy horse traders.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 884. A bill to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners for Morgan County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Hunter of Chatham—

House Bill No. 885. A bill to appropriate certain money for State Sanitarium for Tubercular patients.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 886. A bill to amend an Act creating the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues, Pulaski County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 887. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the City of Hawkinsville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 888. A bill to amend an Act fixing salary of treasurer of Pulaski County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. McMichael of Marion & Clifton of Lee—

House Bill No. 889. A bill to provide for distribution of certain motor vehicle tax funds.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion, moved that the above bill, which was referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Public Highways, be referred to the Committee of the whole House.

On this motion Mr. McMichael, of Marion, called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion was lost and the bill was referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bills, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 227. A bill to amend code relative to executions of deeds outside of the State.

Senate Bill No. 233. A bill to amend Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia.

Mr. Culpepper, of Fayette County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Appropriation and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following Bill of the House, and have instructed me as Vice-Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 873.

CULPEPPER, of Fayette,
Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Moore, of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass, as follows:

House Bill No. 875. Do pass.

House Bill No. 791. Do pass as amended.

MOORE, of Fulton.

Mr. Pickren, of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate, and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 218.

House Bill No. 850.

House Bill No. 826.

House Bill No. 799, by substitute.

PICKREN, of Charlton,
Chairman on Corporations.

The following message was received from his Excellency the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. Blalock:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency, the Governor, to delivery to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA:
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ATLANTA, Ga.:

July, 31, 1922.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

We have successfully passed through the sufferings and dangers of War and have made progress toward overcoming the larger difficulties which have followed in its wake. We are still, however, in the transition state from general depression to prosperity and must do all in our power to create agencies and develop processes which will accelerate the transition.

In our section, one of the greatest needs is capital in small amounts, available to farmers and industrial workers.

Great numbers of our people feel that there is no way to profit by their possible savings, because too

small to invest or even to deposit. Therefore, what could be saved, is wasted. Credit unions have been organized to salvage this capital and have proved wonderfully successful in Europe, Canada and twelve of our states, including Massachusetts, New York, North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas and other important states.

Credit Unions accumulate capital by the issuance of shares, payable in cash or weekly installments which are quite small, varying from ten to twenty-five cents. Emphasis is placed entirely on the regularity of savings and the unit is so small that any one who earns may save a part of what he earns.

In Massachusetts, the membership of such Credit Unions in 1920 was approximately 30,000, with assets of \$4,000,000.00.

Credit Unions not only afford protection against loan sharks, but open up for the farmer sources of much needed credit for financing and improving of farms.

The movement has been approved by many of our ablest and most thoughtful men, and by banking, business and philanthropic institutions.

A bill is to be introduced in the Legislature to permit the organization of such unions in this State. This bill meets with my hearty approval and I hope that the Legislature will give it their most earnest consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time :

By Mr. McMichael, of Marion, and others—

House Bill No. 791. A bill to authorize counties to levy certain taxes for educational purposes.

By Messrs. Beck and Smith of Carroll—

House Bill No. 799. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Bowden.

By Mr. Byrd, of Crisp—

House Bill No. 826. A bill to amend an act creating a new charter for the Town of Arabi.

By Mr. Brantley of Pierce—

House Bill No. 850. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Blackshear, in Pierce County.

By Messrs. Culpeper, of Fayette and McMichael, of Marion—

House Bill No. 873. A bill to make additional appropriation for 1922 for maintenance of military establishment.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 875. A bill to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia.

By Mr. Thomas, of the Third District—

Senate Bill No. 218. A bill to incorporate the City of Jesup and for other purposes.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage :

By Mr. Manson, of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 182. A bill to prescribe and fix a compensation for the Treasurer of Clayton County and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. David, of 43d.

Senate Bill No. 219. A bill to repeal an Act amending road laws of Georgia in Gordon County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins, of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 860. A bill to provide for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Columbus.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding after the figures “1925” in Section 17 of said bill the following words: “Provided that the total indebtedness to be assumed by said city under this Section shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 150, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Pruitt, of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 816. A bill to repeal an Act to abolish the fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of the Northeastern Judicial Circuit as applied to the office of Solicitor-General, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. Thorpe, of 2d, and Cone of 49th—

Senate Bill No. 227. A bill to amend Code of 1910, relative to executions of deeds outside of State.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Mr. Childs, of 12th—

Senate Bill No. 233. A bill to amend an Act codifying School Laws relative to conferring degrees.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Messrs. Boykin, of 29th, and Walker of 18th—

Senate Bill No. 271. A bill to repeal law providing for special attorney for Railroad Commission.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

Mr. Mundy, of Polk, moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Mixon of Treutlen and Davis of Oglethorpe—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 205. Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the General Assembly of Georgia express their appreciation of the hospitality of the City of Savannah and the citizens of Tybee on the recent trip of inspection of port facilities of Savannah and that the General Assembly further expresses its appreciation of the patriotic motives that prompted the City of Savannah to extend this invitation to the General Assembly with the hope that great good may result to the people of our entire state from the movement contemplated in the effort to establish a state port at Savannah.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration an order of business, have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report as a special order of business for July 31st only; beginning immediately after the present order of unfinished business, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 224. Providing for settlement of insurance policies.

Senate Bill No. 214. Protection fish, game, etc.

House Bill No. 65. Welfare bill.

House Resolution No. 165. To put party on pension roll.

House Resolution No. 169. For appointment of Committee on State Line.

House Bill No. 554. To authorize Tech to charge tuition.

House Bill No. 203. For appropriation to State Sanitarium.

MUNDY, of Polk, Vice-Chairman.

The report of the committee was agreed to.

On establishing the order of business as set out in the report of the committee a constitutional majority not having so voted the order was not established.

Mr. Mundy, of Polk, moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to establish the order of business as set out in the report of the Committee on Rules and the motion prevailed.

The order of business as set out by the Committee on Rules was established and set as a special order.

Mr. Swift, of Elbert, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent leave of absence was granted Mr. Stovall, of McDuffie.

By unanimous consent Mr. Stovall, of McDuffie, was allowed to cast his vote at this time on House Bill No. 6, and retire. He voted "Aye."

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleton	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

Under orders of the day, the following bill of the Senate, set as a special order on the recommenda-

tion of the Committee on Rules, was taken up for the purpose of a second reading and agreeing or disagreeing to the report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill:

By Mr. Davison, of 23d—

Senate Bill No. 1. A bill to propose to the qualified electors of this state an amendment to the Constitution relative to creation of Peach County.

The bill was read for the second time.

The report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill, was not agreed to.

Mr. Houser, of Houston, moved that the report of the committee be disagreed to.

On this motion Mr. Robinson called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The report of the committee was disagreed to and the bill took its place upon the Calendar.

Under orders of the day, the following bills of the House and Senate, set as a special order for today on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Haralson of 40th —

Senate Bill No. 224. A bill to provide additional grounds for revoking the licenses to do business in Georgia of companies engaged in the business of

insuring against liability of various kinds and for other purposes.

Mr. Smith, of Bryan, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Watkins, of Butts, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Haralson of 40th—

Senate Bill 214. A bill to give Federal Government authority to establish rules for protection of game and fish.

Mr. Moore, of Appling, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 2.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 65. A bill relating to the placing of children by persons other than the parents or relatives of such children, and for other purposes.

The substitute by Mr. Williams of Walton was read.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Gann of Cobb as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose, and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved that the bill and substitute be tabled, and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Resolution No. 169. A resolution relative to the boundary line between Georgia and Tennessee.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Tatum of Dade—

Amend by inserting in the fourth line after the word "Walker" the following words: "and Dade" and after the word "Hamilton" the words "and Marion."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed as amended.

Mr. Davis of Floyd moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker Pro-tem, Mr. Arnold, of Clay, announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, August 1, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 899. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Cedartown, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 900. A bill to repeal certain Acts to change the place of holding legal sales in the County of Muscogee.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 2.

By Messrs. Grovenstein of Effingham and Evans of Screven—

House Bill No. 901. A bill to prohibit the taking of fish from any of the fresh water streams of this State with traps or netting.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 902. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Habersham.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Bowden of Ware, Pickren of Charlton, and others—

House Bill No. 903. A bill to appropriate \$75,000 to aid certain counties in tick eradication.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 230 do pass as amended.

McDONALD of Richmond,
Chairman.

Mr. Ennis of Baldwin County, Chairman of the Committee on State Sanitariums, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on State Sanitariums have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 383.

J. H. ENNIS, Chairman.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 203. Do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

GUESS of DeKalb,
Chairman.

The following report of the Special Joint Committee appointed under Senate Resolution No. 78, to provide funds for the payment of pensions to Confederate veterans, was submitted and read:

ATLANTA, GA., August 1, 1922.

To the President of the Senate and to the Speaker of the House:

We, the undersigned members of the committee, appointed under Senate Resolution No. 78, to provide a source of revenue to pay confederate pensions, and to draft the necessary tax bills for the levy and collection of a tax on luxuries, embodying the ideas contained in said Senate Resolution, beg leave to submit the following report:

1. All tax bills introduced in pursuance of this resolution, after having been drafted by this committee, shall be known as "Taxes to Pay Confederate Pensions."

2. We recommend that a tax be levied, equal to ten per cent on the sales price of all tickets to moving picture houses, and places of similar amusement, boxing matches or ring contests, concerts, professional baseball and football games, and that a tax be levied equal to ten per cent of all amounts paid for the privilege of engaging in the amusements and luxuries conducted in pool rooms, dance halls, shooting galleries, and places of similar amusement.

3. We further recommend that a tax be levied, equal to twenty per cent. on the sales price of all soft drinks, when made from a combination of syrup, extracts, or flavoring matter, together with plain or carbonated or mineral water; and that a tax be levied equal to twenty per cent. on the sales price of all near beer and imitations of beer, and of all bottled waters, and mineral waters, sold by soda fountains, or dispensed over the counter. This recommendation includes all bottled drinks and bottled waters.

4. We further recommend that a tax of one mill be levied for the privilege of recording, notes, mortgages, bills of sale, security deeds and all other security papers, said tax to be paid by the payee of said paper to the Clerk of the Superior Court when the same is offered for record.

5. Attached hereto and marked exhibits 1, 2 and 3, are bills providing for the levy and collection of the taxes recommended in sections 2, 3 and 4 hereof.

6. In presenting the foregoing report this committee has acted in pursuance of the provisions of

the said Senate Resolution No. 78. Yet this committee takes this opportunity to say that if the State of Georgia would adopt a sound, equitable, and adequate plan of taxation, it would be unnecessary to engage in the taxation of special businesses, amusements and pleasures, which are already heavily and perhaps unjustly burdened with taxation, as the recommendations of this report call for. And this committee most earnestly recommends that such a sound, equitable and adequate plan of taxation be adopted by the State as early as possible, that the special taxes hereinbefore recommended may be repealed at the earliest practical moment.

Respectfully submitted,

GOLUCKE of 19th Dist.,

HOLLINGSWORTH of 17th Dist.,

A. C. ROUNTREE,

CULPEPPER of Fayette,

BIRD of Taliaferro.

A BILL

To be entitled: An Act to require persons, firms, associations, and corporations, operating motion picture shows and places of similar amusement, boxing matches or ring contests, concerts, professional baseball and football games, pool rooms, dance halls, shooting galleries and places of similar amusement, to pay an occupation tax, to make returns, to provide penalties, and for other purposes.

1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That persons, firms, associations, and corporations, operating motion picture shows and places of similar amusement, boxing matches or ring contests, concerts, professional baseball and football games, pool rooms, dance halls, shooting galleries and places of similar amusement, for gain, in this State, shall pay an occupation tax of one cent on each ten cents or fraction thereof, paid for tickets, or admission, or for the privileges, of such shows or exhibitions.

2. That every such person, firm, association or corporation, shall make to the Comptroller-General of this State, monthly returns of such tax, and pay the same on the first of each month for the preceding month, the first of said returns to be made on October 1, 1922, and to embrace said tax from the date of this Act to said date, and each succeeding return to embrace the tax for the preceding month.

3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that any person, firm, association or corporation failing to make such returns and to pay said tax shall for each offense be guilty of a misdemeanor, and punished as prescribed in Section 1065 of the Penal Code.

4. All taxes collected under the provisions of this Act shall be paid into the State Treasury and by it shall be paid as a fund for the payment of pensions to Confederate Soldiers, until all pensions for Con-

federate Soldiers for each calendar year shall be paid in full, when the overplus, if any, shall be turned by the Treasury into the general fund, and then held subject to the payment of general appropriations.

5. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

A BILL

To be Entitled: An Act to Require all retail vendors or dispensors of soft drinks, whether in glass or in bottle, bottled waters, mineral waters, and other waters sold at soda founts, to pay an occupation tax, to register, to make monthly returns, and payment of said tax, to provide penalties, and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that each vendor or dispenser of soft drinks, whether in glass or in bottle, bottled waters, mineral waters, or other waters sold at soda fountains, as hereinafter defined, shall pay an occupation tax for each five cents or fraction thereof, paid to such vendor or dispenser for such drinks.

SECTION 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that soft drinks, as herein used, mean all beverages commonly known as soft drinks, such as orangeade, orange crushes, lemonade, limeade, pineapple juice, coca cola, chero cola, root beer, bevo,

moxie, phosphates, fruit and flavoring syrups, compounded or mixed with plain or carbonated water, milk or malted milk shakes in any form, cream and egg shakes, ice cream, ice cream sodas, ice cream sundaes, ice cream sandwiches, ice cream cones, and all similar drinks. This list is not intended to be complete, but merely illustrative of the beverages falling within the meaning of soft drinks. This list includes drinks served in bottle as well as in glass, and also bottled waters, mineral waters, and other waters sold at soda founts.

SECTION 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that each vendor or dispenser of soft drinks or waters as hereinbefore described, in this State, shall register by the first Monday in October, 1922, with the ordinary of each county in which he does business, in a well-bound book to be kept for that purpose, by signing his name and giving his place of business, post office, address, and date of registering.

SECTION 4. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that each vendor or dispenser of soft drinks or waters as hereinbefore described, shall make sworn monthly returns to the Comptroller-General of this State of all such occupation tax due by him, and pay the same at the time of making such returns. The first of such returns shall be made on or before October 1, 1922, and shall embrace all of such tax due between the date of this Act and the time of such return. Such returns shall be sworn to by some officer authorized by law to administer oaths.

SECTION 5. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that any vendor or dispenser who shall fail to register, make said returns, or pay said tax when due, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction punished as provided in Section 1065 of the Penal Code of this State; and any vendor or dispenser who shall make a false sworn return shall be guilty of false swearing and punished as provided in Section 262 of the Penal Code of this State.

SECTION 6. Be it enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the Comptroller-General of this State shall issue an execution for such tax whenever any vendor or dispenser fails to pay the same, which shall be levied and collected as other tax executions issued by him are enforced.

SECTION 7. All taxes collected under the provisions of this Act shall be paid into the State Treasury and by it shall be held as a fund for the payment of pensions to Confederate Soldiers, until all pensions for Confederate Soldiers for each calendar year shall be paid in full, when the overplus, if any, shall be turned by the Treasury into the general fund, and then held subject to the payment of general appropriations.

SECTION 7. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

A BILL

To be Entitled: An Act to require the payees or holders of all notes, mortgages, bills of sale, se-

security deeds, and all other security papers, when offering same for record, to pay a privilege tax for recording same, to require monthly returns of said tax so collected by the Clerk of the Superior Courts, to provide penalties for the holders or payees collecting said tax from the maker of said security paper, to provide penalties for failure of the Clerk of the Superior Court to make returns to the Comptroller-General, and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the payee or holder of any note, mortgage, bill of sale, security deed, or other security paper, when offering the same for record, shall pay a tax of one mill upon the principal sum promised to be paid in said note, mortgage, bill of sale, security deed, or other security paper, to the Clerk of the Superior Court where the same is offered for record, for the privilege of recording the same.

SECTION 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That on the first Monday in October, 1922, and on the first Monday in each and every month thereafter, the Clerk of the Superior Court in each county in this State shall make a return to the Comptroller-General of this State of all taxes provided for in this Act collected by him, and shall remit all of such taxes provided for in this Act and collected by him to the Treasury of this State on said date.

SECTION 3. It shall be a good and valid defense to the collection or foreclosure of any note, mortgage, bill of sale, security deed, or other security paper, that the holder or payee of the same required the maker thereof to pay the tax for the privilege of recording the same.

SECTION 4. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That any Clerk of the Superior Court who shall fail to make remittance to the State Treasury, as provided for in this Act, or who shall fail to make the report called for in this Act to the Comptroller-General, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be punished as provided in Section 1065 of the Penal Code.

SECTION 5. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That no note, mortgage, bill of sale, security deed or other security paper, shall be entitled to be recorded until the tax required by this Act shall have first been paid.

SECTION 6. All taxes collected under the provisions of this Act shall be paid into the State Treasury and by it shall be held as a fund for the payment of pensions to Confederate Soldiers, until all pensions for Confederate Soldiers for each calendar year shall be paid in full, when the overplus, if any, shall be turned by the Treasury into the general fund, and then held subject to the payment of general appropriations.

SECTION 7. Be it further enacted by the authority

aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

The following message was reviewed from His Excellency, the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. McCurry:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency, the Governor, to deliver to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA, August 1, 1922.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I hand you herewith, as required by the Constitution of Georgia, report of the Board of Visitors to the University of Georgia.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

To the Honorable Board of Trustees, University of Georgia.

Gentlemen: We beg to submit herewith our report for transmission to his Excellency, Hon. THOS. W. Hardwick, Governor of Georgia.

The greatest need of the University at this time, as we interpret the situation, after personal interviews with the Chancellor, Deans and the heads of various departments, and after a careful and exhaustive examination of the buildings and grounds, may be summed up as follows:

PHYSICAL EQUIPMENT.

The outstanding need of the University is enlarged physical equipment. The general air of the buildings is one of dilapidation, giving the University a poverty-stricken appearance. The situation is distressing, acute, almost tragic. Most of the high schools of the state, the preparatory schools and branches of the University have much better equipment than is to be found on the campus. With few exceptions, none of the buildings are new or adequate to the requirements. Certainly, they are not in keeping with the prestige and honorable career of the oldest state University in the United States. The committee on Buildings and Grounds has done the best it could with the means at hand, and has worked hard to keep up appearances.

More dormitory room is made imperative, not only by the increased enrollment, but by the attendance of women students in large numbers. Despite the fact that the attendance has increased from 400 to more than 1,400 in the past few years, not a single new dormitory has been provided in twenty years. We urgently recommend that dormitory accomodation be provided at the earliest possible date.

We recommend that the dormitories and buildings be painted, and that a heating plant be installed in the Chapel. We find that all the buildings on the campus are clean and neatly kept. This applies to the Chapter Houses as well.

In order to make the dormitories a fit place in which to live we point out the need for running water in the rooms and adequate bathing facilities.

EXTENSION WORK.

During the past few years a great deal has been done through the Extension Division of universities in other states and the Agricultural College in this state. The University must be taken to the people. When the people of the State once realize that the University is their own, theirs to serve in every possible way, the foundation for a Greater University will have been laid. The high schools of the state graduated this year 1,183 more students than in 1921. The high schools are feeders for the University. In addition to the many thousands of people who would normally be reached and benefited through the Department of Extension work, it is highly probable that a great number of these high school graduates who will be unable to attend the University, will be enabled to continue their studies through the Extension Division. The Department of Education, the School of Commerce, and the Extension Division of the State College of Agriculture are doing a splendid work, and we urge that their facilities for reaching more people be enlarged. We

recommend that the Peabody Library be given facilities for extension work.

We recommend that more room and additional teaching force be provided in the School of Commerce, the Department of English, and the Department of Romance Languages, and that enlarged facilities be given the Department of History and Economics.

GEOLOGY.

As another step in the progress of the University, a Department of Geology and Mineralogy has been created through the generosity of the General Education Board, the purpose of which is to give the University a larger part in the development of the natural resources of the State.

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM

In connection with the School of Journalism, we recommend that a printing plant be established. By the installation of typesetting machines and printing equipment, the University could save thousands of dollars annually on its printing. Not only would this addition prove valuable for the training given the students and the money saved, but a printing plant would offer the means of a self-help to a large number of deserving boys and girls.

ATHLETICS.

We favor and recommend the creation of a Department of Physical Education in the University.

The calls from high schools for teachers trained to act as athletic coaches are numerous and insistent. Stricted regulation of athletics, that makes proficiency in scholarship a requisite to participation in sports, is a movement in the right direction.

INFIRMARY.

It was a matter of great satisfaction to find the Infirmary so neatly and well kept. This institution fills an important place in the life of the University. It has proved a real blessing to the students. We recommend that an additional boiler be installed in the Infirmary for the purpose of furnishing heat.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

We strongly recommend the purchase of certain lands and buildings adjacent to the tract of the College of Agriculture. With the exception of about fifteen acres the College of Agriculture owns all the land on the college farm.

The installation of a sprinkler system in the dormitory at the State College of Agriculture would give a much lower insurance rate, and would be a profitable investment. This Board finds the state of Georgia owns at the state College of Agriculture buildings and equipment worth approximately one million dollars. The property is inadequately protected from loss by fire. The extension of water mains, at a cost of about \$25,000 would give proper fire protection.

We heartily approve the recommendation of Dr.

Soule for an Enabling Act, providing for the employment of county agents and making it legal to pay the salaries of such agents out of the general tax levy.

The department of Horticulture informs this Board that with a slight increase in appropriation, scientific investigations that would be of great value to the country in time of war, could be carried on.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES.

The student body of the University is composed of a splendid body of men and women. We find with much gratification that the students are applying themselves to a serious work in a studious, earnest manner. The heads of all departments have spoken in highest terms of the department of the students, and this we have found to be true after careful investigation. The religious atmosphere of the University is good, and beyond question the University of Georgia is one of the great moral forces of the state. Splendid work has been done by the Young Women's Christian Association, and the Young Men's Christian Association, and we commend the capable management of these organizations.

C'o-EDUCATION.

C'o-education, this board is glad to report, is proving popular with both students and professors. The young ladies are among the best students, and they are fully justifying the wisdom of opening the University to women on the same basis as men. The

scholarship of both men and women ranks high, and is a matter of favorable comment by the heads of all departments.

WAR MEMORIAL FUND.

It is a matter of great interest to all friends of the University, and the cause of education in general, to know that the University of Georgia during the past fall raised more than a million dollars in the War Memorial Campaign. Not only did the alumni rally loyally to the call for help, but the general public subscribed liberally, and the General Education Board gave one hundred thousand dollars. Much of the credit for this forward-looking movement, which marks a new and better day for the University, is due to Mr. Harry Hodgson, who worked with unflagging interest and utmost loyalty. Mr. Hodgson deserves the thanks of the people of the entire state. While he was ably assisted, yet he is entitled to honor and praise for having put over a big movement in a manner that surprised even the most loyal supporters of the University. This campaign, designed to honor the many brave University of Georgia men who gave their lives in the World War, was really a campaign of education, and far-reaching good is bound to follow.

CHANCELLOR BARROW

If the rest of the world has lost its balance during the trying period of readjustment through which the country is passing, the University of Georgia has

maintained its morale. A spirit of service everywhere prevails. Professors worked to the point of exhaustion, do their duty without complaining. Students, denied by the state adequate rooming facilities, somehow find a hole in the wall and press forward. Much of this spirit of loyalty and devotion is due to the leadership of Chancellor D. C. Barrow. A christian gentleman of the highest type, he is a leader who sees through the darkest cloud. Chancellor Barrow is the inspiration of the University, and it is the sincere wish of this board that the Greater University of the Future may be realized during his administration.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT.

It is easy for this Board to recommend more money for this or that purpose, but getting the funds is another matter. What we have been concerned with most is trying to devise some plan to give the University proper financial support. It is child's play for the General Assembly to appropriate money with no funds in sight to pay the appropriation. More revenue cannot be raised, we believe, under the existing system of taxation.

If the University is to continue to grow, it is imperative that more funds be provided. Unless this is speedily done the University will be forced by the logic of events to occupy a second or third rate position. The best brains of the state, the most patriotic service, the broadest statesmanship should be used to work out a solution to this problem. Upon

education depends civilization itself. So momentous is the task involved, so far-reaching the result, that this board has ventured to suggest that all other plans and purposes for the time being should be made secondary to that of securing adequate funds for the proper maintenance of the higher institutions of learning.

It may be pointed out that most of the towns and cities of the state have been able to provide proper school facilities only by voting bonds.

This board congratulates the University and Dr. H. C. White upon his fifty years of distinguished service to the University and to the state.

The board desires to congratulate Professor Joseph Lustrat on the signal honor that has come to him in being named by the French government as "Officier d'Academie."

We wish to call especial attention to the fact that every courtesy, kindness and consideration has been shown this board, and information has been given freely and cheerfully by the Chancellor, Deans and the heads of the various departments.

Respectfully submitted,

R. E. BROOKS, Chairman,

E. R. HORTON,

LUTHER ELROD,

J. D. JONES, Secretary,

Board of Visitors.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Logan of Banks—

House Bill No. 383. A bill to amend an Act to revise the laws of Georgia with reference to commitments to the Georgia State Sanitarium.

By Messrs. Guess of DeKalb and Davis of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 203. A resolution to create a commission to regulate the distribution of coal within the State.

By Messrs. Campbell of the 34th and Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 230. A bill to authorize the addition of one or more judges of the Superior Court of Stone Mountain Circuit.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Beck and Smith of Carroll—

House Bill No. 799. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Bowdon.

The Committee substitute was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 122,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed by substitute.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 826. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Arabi.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed.

By Mr. Brantley of Pierce—

House Bill No. 850. A bill to amend an Act to create and incorporate the City of Blackshear.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 121,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 218. A bill to incorporate the City of Jesup, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 123, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bill of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering Senate substitute:

By Mr. Strickland of Brantley—

House Bill No. 480. A bill to correct certain mistakes of the General Assembly for the creation of Brantley County and for other purposes.

The following Senate substitute was read:

A BILL

To Be Entitled "An Act to correct certain mistakes and inaccuracies appearing in the act of the General Assembly of Georgia, approved August 14th, 1920, proposing an amendment to Paragraph 2, Section 1, Article II of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, providing for the creation of the County of Brantley, with reference to the boundaries of said new county as appearing in Section 1, Paragraph 1 of said Act, and for other purposes."

WHEREAS, in the Act of the General Assembly of Georgia, approved August 14th, 1920, proposing an amendment to Paragraph 2, Section 1, Article II

of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, providing for the creation of the new county of Brantley, and which proposed amendment to the Constitution was adopted by the people of Georgia, it is provided in Section 5 thereof that the General Assembly is authorized to correct any mistake or inaccuracies in reference to the boundaries of said new county as contained in Paragraph 1 of Section 1 of said Act, and,

WHEREAS, there are certain inaccuracies appearing in said paragraph of said section of said Act.

NOW THEREFORE, IN ORDER THAT said inaccuracies or mistakes may be corrected, be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that said Act proposing an Amendment to the Constitution for the creation of the said new county of Brantley, as the same appears in Georgia Laws 1920, pages 34, 38, be, and the same is, hereby amended by striking from line 20 of Paragraph 1 of Section 1 of a said Act, on page 35 of said Laws, the words "Buffalo Creek" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "The Big Satilla River," and by striking from said line 20 of said paragraph of said section of said Act the words "Eastwards along" and by striking from line 21 and 22 of said paragraph of said section of said Act, the words "the line between counties of Charlton and Wayne to the Big Satilla River and the western line of Camden County," and by inserting in lieu thereof the following, "North-

ward along the channel of said Big Satilla River to the Camden line," so that said paragraph 1 of said Section 1 of said Act, when so amended, shall read as follows:

SECTION 1. In addition to the counties now provided for by the Constitution of Georgia, as amended, there shall be organized, by this further amendment to Paragraph 2, Section 1, Article II, another new county to be known as Brantley, the same to be laid out from the counties of Pierce, Charlton and Wayne, and shall include all of the territory embraced within boundaries as follows, to-wit: "Beginning at the southeast corner of Pierce County, at the southeast corner of lot of land number three hundred (300) in the 9th District of Pierce County, and thence northwards along the line between Pierce and Charlton Counties to the southwest corner of land lot number thirteen (13), in the 2nd District of Charlton County; thence eastwards along the south line of land lots numbers thirteen (13), fifty-two (52), seventy-seven (77), one hundred and sixteen (116), one hundred and forty-one (141), one hundred and eighty (180), two hundred and five (205), and fractional lot two hundred and forty-four (244), and thence continuing in a straight line to the Big Satilla River, and thence northward along the channel of said Big Satilla River to the Camden County line;" thence northwards along the line between Wayne and Camden Counties to the Glynn County line; thence further northwards along the line between the Counties of Wayne and Glynn to a point on said county line one

mile north of the main line of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railway; thence westwards along a line one mile north of and parallel with the aforesaid main line of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railway to the Little Satilla River, and the line between the Counties of Wayne and Pierce; thence southeast along the channel of the Little Satilla River to the southwest corner of land lot number one (1) in the 3rd District of Wayne County; thence southwards along the west lines of land lots numbers thirty-two (32) and thirty-one (31), in the 2nd District of Pierce County, to the channel of the Big Satilla River; thence westwards up the channel of the Big Satilla River, through Pierce County, to the county line between Pierce and Ware Counties; and thence south and southwest along the county line between Pierce and Ware Counties to the Charlton County line; and thence eastwards along the county line between Pierce and Charlton to the southeast corner of Pierce County, the point of beginning aforesaid."

SECTION 2. Be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are, hereby repealed.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton moved that the House concur in the Senate substitute, and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Messrs. Reville and Pilcher of Richmond—

House Bill No. 863. A bill to amend the Code of 1910 relative to the official organ of certain counties.

The following resolution of the House was introduced and read:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 206. A resolution calling for joint committee to investigate certain charges relative to the Tax Equalization Law.

Mr. Beck of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The resolution was lost.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted by a unanimous rising vote:

By Messrs Brown of Emanuel and Mixon of Treutlen—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 207. *Whereas*, information has been received that the wife of W. E. Boatwright, member of this House from the County of Emanuel, has passed to the Great Beyond;

Therefore be it resolved by the House of Representatives that this House express its deep and heartfelt sympathy for Mr. Boatwright in his great sorrow and that it is the wish of the members of this

body that the hand of the Great Healer may be felt in healing this great sorrow and in mending his broken heart.

Be it further resolved that the Speaker of the House be requested to wire our condolence to our bereaved member.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was introduced and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration an order of business have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report the following special and continuing order to be taken up immediately after unfinished business:

House Bill No. 6. To repeal Equalization Act.

House Bill No. 205. To provide an income tax.

House Bill No. 449. To provide segregation and classification tax.

House Bill No. 260. To reorganize Railroad Commission.

House Bill No. 592. Fee system bill.

House Bill No. 213. To provide for 4-year terms for members of General Assembly.

House Bill No. 203. Appropriation to State Sanitarium.

House Bill No. 873. Emergency appropriation for military.

These bills set for morning sessions only.

MUNDY, Vice-Chairman.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 873 was withdrawn from the morning calendar as recommended by the Committee on Rules.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 873 was placed as the first bill on the calendar for this afternoon.

The report of the Committee on Rules, which was favorable to the adoption of the order of business, was agreed to.

The order of business, as set out in the report of the committee, was established and set as a special order.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 208. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, that whereas, the theatre and moving picture people of Atlanta, in their desire to entertain and make pleasant the stay of the members of this body in Atlanta, have thrown wide their doors to the will of each and every member and his family, and have exerted every effort to make them enjoy the amusements of the city, Therefore

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, that the deepest thanks and appreciation of this body be extended to the owners, managers and employees of every theatre and moving picture house in the city, and that our best wishes go to them for continued prosperity.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was introduced and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Rules having had under consideration the fixing of an order of business for afternoon sessions, have instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report that the Committee on Rules be authorized to fix special orders of business for afternoon sessions independent of orders fixed for morning sessions, until otherwise ordered.

MUNDY, Vice-Chairman.

(On the adoption of the report Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

Amend by adding the following proviso: Provided that the report of the Rules Committee may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the House.

The report of the committee, which was favorable

to establishing this as an order, was agreed to as amended.

The order of business as set out in the report was established.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills, to-wit:

House Bill No. 811. A bill entitled "An Act to establish a City Court of Barrow County, in and for the County of Barrow."

House Bill No. 822. A bill to amend "An Act to establish a City Court in the County of Hall, and to provide for the appointment of a Judge and Solicitor thereof."

House Bill No. 647. A bill to amend an Act to fix the amount of the fees of the Clerks of the Superior Courts of this State in counties having less than fifty thousand population.

Senate Bill No. 196. A bill to create a Board of County Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Dougherty, to prescribe their powers, and for other purposes.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bill, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 274. A bill to amend the present charter of the City of Albany.

The Senate has read and adopted the following House resolution, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 205. A resolution thanking the City of Savannah for their hospitality and for the entertainment given the General Assembly.

Under orders of the day the following bill of the House, set as a special order on the recommendation of the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Watkins of Butts—

House Bill No. 6. A bill to repeal an Act to regulate the return and assessment of property for taxation in this State, and for other purposes.

By unanimous consent Mr. DeLaPerriere of Jackson was allowed to cast his vote at this time and retire. He voted “Aye” on the bill and “No” on all amendments.

By unanimous consent Mr. DuBose of Clarke was allowed to cast his vote at this time and retire. He voted “No” on the bill and “Aye” on the two amendments.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and House Bill No. 6 went over as unfinished business.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. McGarity of Paulding and Moore of Appling.

The following communication was read:

BRUNSWICK, GA.

HON. CECIL NEILL,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Atlanta, Ga.

While Brunswick is informed that there is hardly a possibility of the State port matter coming up before you gentlemen at this session, however, in the event there is such a possibility we want you to be fully advised of and acquainted with Brunswick's marvelous possibilities for the establishment of State owned port and terminals. We think it only fair that you should familiarize yourself with Brunswick's superior advantages, and we extend through you to all of the members of the House of Representatives a most cordial invitation to visit Brunswick at Brunswick's expense next Saturday and Sunday or the following Saturday and Sunday, or whatever time you wish to designate, but whatever time you decide to come it should be in advance of any action that may be taken by the Legislature touching the question of the establishment of State owned port and terminals.

(Signed) City of Brunswick, by C. D. Ogg, Mayor; County Commissioners, by C. Miller, Chairman; Board of Trade, by J. W. Simmons, President; Young Men's Club, by Frank M. Scarlett, Chairman; Rotary Club, by M. Rose, President.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was introduced, read the first time and referred to a committee:

By Messrs. Bowden of Ware, Pickren of Charlton, and others—

House Bill No. 903. A bill to appropriate \$75,000 for aid in certain counties in the work of tick eradication.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Rules Committee having had under consideration an order of business for the afternoon session of August 1st instruct me as their Vice Chairman to report the following special order of business:

House Bill No. 873. Emergency Appropriation for Military.

House Resolution No. 154. To appropriate to pay interest on the bonded debt.

House Resolution No. 165. To place party on pension roll.

House Bill No. 645. Elbert County Local Bill.

House Bill No. 554. To authorize Tech to charge tuition.

House Bill No. 575. To change the name of South Ga. Normal School at Valdosta.

House Resolution No. 190. Appropriation for stationery.

House Bill No. 203. Appropriation for State Sanitarium.

House Bill No. 157. Jewelers Lien Bill.

House Bill No. 564. Electric chair Bill.

Senate Bill No. 176. Letting contracts by Highway Department.

Senate Bill No. 198. Nursery Bill. In Committee.

House Bill No. 669. To amend Prohibition Law.

House Bill No. 716. Amending Charter Laws.

House Bill No. 832. To Amend Gasoline Tax Bill.

MUNDY, Vice-Chairman.

The following bills of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Culpepper of Fayette and McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 873. A bill for additional appropriation for military establishment in the State of Georgia and for other purposes.

Mr. Fowler of Bibb moved that the Committee of the Whole House be instructed to limit the debate on this bill to ten minutes and the motion prevailed.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. Knight of Berrien as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

Mr. Smith of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding to Section 1, the following words: "Provided said funds shall be used only for payment of expenses of troupes on riot or special duty and only so much of said funds as may be necessary for said purpose shall be used, all funds to be drawn on warrant of the Governor."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Fowler	McClure
Anderson	Franks	McDonald of Mitchell
Arnold	Grant	McMichael
Atkinson	Gresham	Maddox
Beck	Griffin	Malone
Beckham	Greene	Mann
Bentley	Grovenstein	Manning
Bird of Taliaferro	Guess	Mason
Blalock	Gunnels	Mixon
Bleckley	Haddock	Moore of Fulton
Bloodworth	Hamilton	Mundy
Bobo	Hatcher of Burke	Neal of Union
Boswell	Hatcher of Muscogee	Parrish
Bowden	Hawkins	Patten
Boyett	Henderson	Penland
Bozeman	Herring	Perkins
Braddy	Hillhouse	Perryman
Branch	Hines of Sumter	Peterson
Brantley	Hodges	Pickren
Brown of Emanuel	Holland	Pilcher
Brown of Hancock	Holloway	Price
Brownlee	Horne	Pruett
Byrd of Crisp	Houser	Ramsey
Camp	Houston	Reville
Carr	Hullender	Ricketson
Carswell	Hunter	Russell
Childs	Hyman	Rutherford
Clark of Colquitt	Jones of Coweta	Salmon
Clark of Webster	Jones of Walker	Shettlesworth
Corbitt	Johnson of Bartow	Sibley
Culpepper	Johnson of	Singletery
Daniel of Heard	Chattahoochee	Smith of Bryan
Davis of Floyd	Johnson of Pickens	Smith of Carroll
Davis of Oglethorpe	Keith	Steele
Dixon	Kennedy	Strickland
Dobbs	King of Jefferson	Sumner of Wheeler
DuBose	King of Wilcox	Swift
Dudley	Kittrell	Tatum
Duncan of Hall	Knight	Thompson of Coweta
Ennis	Lewis	Thompson of Dodge
Evans	Logan	Trippe
Folsom	McClelland	Valentino

Van Landingham	Whitaker of Rockdale	Woodard
Van Zant	Wimberly	Worthy
Watkins	Winship	
Webb	Wood	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Daniel of Troup	Howard of Screven	Smiley
Ficklen	Luke	Smith of Haralson
Foy	Phillips of Jasper	Williams of Miller
Hines of Decatur	Reagan	Williams of Walton

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Hufstetler	Smith of Meriwether
Baldwin	Jackson	Stone
Boatwright	Jones of Thomas	Stovall
Bowen	Langford of Hall	Sumner of Johnson
Brannen	Lankford of Toombs	Swindle
Bush	McDonald of	Turner
Clifton	Richmond	Tyson
Coates	McGarity	Vocelle
Collier	MacIntyre	Walker
Collins	Mayo	Wall
Cowart	Miles	Way
DeFoor	Moore of Appling	Weston
DeLaPerriere	Moye	Whitley
Dickerson	Nichols	Whitaker of Lowndes
Duncan of Dawson	Owen	Whitworth
Dykes	Parks	Williams of Harris
Fletcher	Phillips of Telfair	Wyatt
Gann	Quincey	Wynne
Griffith	Riley	Mr. Speaker
Harris	Robinson	
Howard of Forsyth	Sapp	

Ayes 135, Nays 12.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 12.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that during the remainder of the session, unless otherwise ordered by the House, during the afternoon session individual speeches be limited to ten minutes and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the bill just passed was ordered to be immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Resolution No. 154. A resolution to appropriate money for paying interest on the Public Debt.

Mr. Smith of Carroll moved that the Committee of the Whole House be instructed to limit the debate on this resolution to five minutes to each side and the motion prevailed.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. DeFoor of Clayton as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Mr. Smith of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	DuBose	Jones of Coweta
Anderson	Dudley	Jones of Walker
Arnold	Duncan of Dawson	Johnson of Bartow
Atkinson	Duncan of Hall	Johnson of Pickens
Beck	Ennis	Keith
Beckham	Evans	Kennedy
Bird of Taliaferro	Ficklen	King of Jefferson
Blalock	Folsom	King of Wilcox
Bleckley	Fowler	Kittrell
Bobo	Foy	Knight
Boswell	Franks	Langford of Hall
Boyett	Grant	Luke
Bozeman	Gresham	McClelland
Braddy	Griffin	McClure
Branch	Greene	McDonald of Mitchell
Brantley	Grovenstein	McDonald of
Brown of Hancock	Gunnels	Richmond
Brownlee	Haddock	MacIntyre
Byrd of Crisp	Hamilton	McMichael
Camp	Hatcher of Burke	Maddox
Carr	Hatcher of Muscogee	Malone
Carswell	Hawkins	Mann
Childs	Henderson	Manning
Clark of Colquitt	Herring	Mason
Clark of Webster	Hillhouse	Mixon
Coates	Hines of Decatur	Moore of Fulton
Collier	Hines of Sumter	Moye
Corbitt	Hodges	Mundy
Culpepper	Holland	Neal of Union
Daniel of Heard	Holloway	Owen
Daniel of Troup	Houser	Parrish
Davis of Floyd	Houston	Patten
Davis of Oglethorpe	Howard of Forsyth	Perkins
DeFoor	Howard of Screven	Perryman
Dickerson	Hunter	Peterson
Dobbs	Hyman	Phillips of Jasper

Pickren	Sibley	Vocelle
Pilcher	Singletery	Watkin-
Price	Smiley	Way
Pruett	Smith of Bryan	Webb
Quincey	Smith of Carroll	Whitaker of Rockdale
Ramsey	Steele	Whitworth
Reagan	Strickland	Williams of Harris
Reville	Sumner of Wheeler	Williams of Miller
Ricketson	Swift	Williams of Walton
Riley	Tatum	Wimberly
Robinson	Thompson of Coweta	Winship
Russell	Trippe	Wood
Rutherford	Tyson	Woodard
Salmon	Van Landingham	Worthy
Shettlesworth	Van Zant	Wynne

Those not voting were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Guess	Phillips of Telfair
Baldwin	Harris	Sapp
Bentley	Horne	Smith of Haralson
Bloodworth	Hufstetler	Smith of Meriwether
Boatwright	Hullender	Stone
Bowden	Jackson	Stovall
Bowen	Jones of Thomas	Sumner of Johnson
Brannen	Johnson of	Swindle
Brown of Emanuel	Chattahoochee	Thompson of Dodge
Bush	Lankford of Toombs	Turner
Clifton	Lewis	Valentino
Collins	Logan	Walker
Cowart	McGarity	Wall
DeLaPerriere	Mayo	Weston
Dixon	Miles	Whitley
Dykes	Moore of Appling	Whitaker of Lowndes
Fletcher	Nichols	Wyatt
Gann	Parks	Mr. Speaker
Griffith	Penland	

Ayes 152, Nays 0.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 152, Nays 0.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Williams of Harris moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By unanimous consent Mr. Quincey of Coffee was allowed to cast his vote on House Bill No. 6 at this time and retire. He voted "Aye" on the bill and "No" on all amendments.

By Mr. Hillhouse of Worth—

House Resolution No. 165. A resolution placing Mr. S. L. Lesseur on the pension roll.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 60, Nays 50.

The resolution having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Hillhouse of Worth gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Resolution No. 165.

Mr. Beck of Carroll moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

The following bill of the House, set as a special

order by the Committee on Rules, was taken up for the purpose of considering a Senate amendment:

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Bill No. 645. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Elbert County and for other purposes.

Mr. Howard of Forsyth moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

Mr. Hillhouse of Worth moved that the bill be tabled, and the motion was lost.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by striking Section 10 and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "Section 10. That the provisions of all foregoing Sections of this Act shall become operative only after an election to be held within twenty days after its approval. Those favoring having one commissioner shall have printed on their ballots "For One Commissioner," those who favor three commissioners shall have printed on their ballots "For Three Commissioners." If a majority shall vote for one commissioner, then the provisions of this act shall be null and void. If a majority shall vote for three commissioners, then the provisions of the foregoing sections of this Act shall become valid, and become operative under the terms of this Act. (Provided, however; That in no event shall the provisions contained in Section 1-A,

of the Act of 1919, contained in Georgia Laws, 1919, pages 643, 644 and 645, be in any manner affected by the adoption of this Act, if the same shall be approved by the people, as aforesaid.)

Amend Section Ten by adding after the word "aforesaid," the following: "Said election shall be called by the Ordinary of Elbert County and held under the laws now provided for holding elections for county officers."

Section Eleven. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are, hereby repealed.

The following bills and resolutions of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway, and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 554. A bill to authorize and empower the Trustees of the Georgia School of Technology to charge and collect reasonable tuition, etc.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110
Nays 5.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Whitaker of Lowndes and Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 575. A bill to change the name of the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109 Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 190. A resolution appropriating money to pay for certain supplies used by the members of the House of Representatives.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. Fowler of Bibb as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

The resolution involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Grovenstein	Moore of Fulton
Anderson	Guess	Moye
Arnold	Gunnels	Mundy
Atkinson	Hamilton	Neal of Union
Beck	Hatcher of Burke	Owen
Beckham	Hawkins	Parrish
Bentley	Henderson	Patten
Bird of Taliaferro	Herring	Penland
Blalock	Hillhouse	Perkins
Bleckley	Hines of Decatur	Peterson
Bobo	Hines of Sumter	Pickren
Boswell	Holland	Pilcher
Boyett	Holloway	Price
Braddy	Houser	Pruett
Branch	Houston	Ramsey
Brantley	Howard of Forsyth	Reville
Brown of Emanuel	Howard of Screven	Ricketson
Brown of Hancock	Hunter	Riley
Brownlee	Hyman	Robinson
Byrd of Crisp	Jones of Coweta	Salmon
Carswell	Jones of Walker	Sapp
Childs	Johnson of Bartow	Shettlesworth
Clark of Colquitt	Johnson of	Smiley
Clark of Webster	Chattahoochee	Smith of Bryan
Clifton	Johnson of Pickens	Smith of Carroll
Coates	Keith	Smith of Haralson
Daniel of Heard	Kennedy	Steele
Daniel of Troup	King of Jefferson	Strickland
Davis of Floyd	Kittrell	Swift
Davis of Oglethorpe	Knight	Tatum
DeFoor	Langford of Hall	Thompson of Coweta
DuBose	Lewis	Thompson of Dodge
Dudley	McClure	Trippe
Duncan of Hall	McDonald of Mitchell	Tyson
Evans	McDonald of	Valentino
Ficklen	Richmond	Van Landingham
Folsom	MacIntyre	Vocelle
Fowler	Maddox	Way
Franks	Malone	Weston
Grant	Manning	Whitaker of Rockdale
Gresham	Mason	Williams of Walton
Greene	Mixon	Wimberly

Winship

Wood

Woodard

Those not voting were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Griffith	Reagan
Baldwin	Haddock	Russell
Bloodworth	Harris	Rutherford
Boatwright	Hatcher of Muscogee	Sibley
Bowden	Hodges	Singletary
Bowen	Horne	Smith of Meriwether
Bozeman	Hufstetler	Stone
Brannen	Hullender	Stovall
Bush	Jackson	Sumner of Johnson
Camp	Jones of Thomas	Sumner of Wheeler
Carr	King of Wilcox	Swindle
Collier	Lankford of Toombs	Swindle
Collins	Logan	Turner
Corbitt	Luke	Van Zant
Cowart	McClelland	Walker
Culpepper	McGarity	Wall
DeLaPerriere	McMichael	Watkins
Dickerson	Mann	Webb
Dixon	Mayo	Whitley
Dobbs	Miles	Whitaker of Lowndes
Duncan of Dawson	Moore of Appling	Whitworth
Dykes	Nichols	Williams of Harris
Ennis	Parks	Williams of Miller
Fletcher	Perryman	Worthy
Foy	Phillips of Jasper	Wyatt
Gann	Phillips of Telfair	Wynne
Griffin	Quincey	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 127 Nays 0.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 127, Nays 0.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Houston of Gwinnett moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Quincey of Coffee.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Wednesday, August 2, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the first part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Webb of Lowndes—

House Resolution No. 209 (912A). A resolution to

appropriate certain money to pay witnesses at hearing before State Ventinarian.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Mobre, Holloway of Fulton, Guess, Steele and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 904. A bill to amend an act carrying into effect constitutional amendment, relative to abolition of Justice Courts in Atlanta.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 905. A bill to require reports of all State Officials yearly.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 906. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Washington.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. McGarity of Paulding—

House Bill No. 907. A bill to regulate all four-year high schools, which receive certain state aid.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Weston of Brooks—

House Bill No. 908. A bill to amend the charter of the city court of Quitman.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 909. A bill to provide for the return of all evidences of indebtedness for taxation.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 910. A bill to authorize the State Highway Department to purchase bridges and ferries, etc.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Mr. Quincey of Coffee—

House Bill No. 911. A bill to amend the charter of the town of Nicholls, in Coffee County.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Bill No. 912. A bill to amend an act creating a new charter for the town of Rockledge.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 913. A bill to amend the General Tax Act relative to insurance companies.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Hyman and Hawkins of Washington—

House Bill No. 914. A bill to authorize officials of Sandersville to collect certain taxes annually.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 915. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Adrian, in counties of Emanuel and Johnson.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Resolution No. A resolution to allow the Committee on Penitentiary to retire from the House for thirty minutes for the purpose of considering important matters.

Mr. DuBose of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chair-

man, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 579.

DeBOSE of Clarke,
Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 233.

MOORE of Fulton,
Chairman.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden County, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fish, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendations as follows:

House Bill No. 805. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 901. Do pass.

JAMES T. VOCELLE, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Bryan County, Chairman of the Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation have had under consideration the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Resolution No. 75. Do pass.

House Bill No. 833. Do not pass.

SMITH of Bryan,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 887.

House Bill No. 898.

House Bill No. 899.

PICKREN of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Swift of Elbert County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Property, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Property have had under consideration the following resolutions of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Resolution No. 200.

House Resolution No. 202.

SWIFT of Elbert,

Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of

the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 876. Do pass.

House Bill No. 877. Do pass.

House Bill No. 902. Do pass.

House Bill No. 884. Do pass.

House Bill No. 886. Do pass.

House Bill No. 888. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 258. Do pass.

House Bill No. 831. Do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 157. Do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE of Randolph,

Chairman.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following bills of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 217. Do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 253. Do pass.

GUESS, Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 821.

LANKFORD of Toombs,

Chairman.

Mr. Perryman of Talbot County, Chairman of the Committee on Penitentiary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Penitentiary have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 873.

PERRYMAN of Talbot,

Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 871.

House Bill No. 835.

House Bill No. 845.

House Bill No. 843.

Senate Bill No. 242.

House Bill No. 722, as amended.

House Bill No. 842, as amended.

House Bill No. 758, by substitute as amended.

SMITH of Meriwether,

Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chair-

man, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 14. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 767. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 863. Do pass.

House Bill No. 881. Do pass.

House Bill No. 900. Do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CAMP DAVIS, Chairman.

Mr. Hullender of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 124. A resolution relative to paying expenses incurred by committee considering changes in the tax system.

House Bill No. 480. A bill to correct mistakes in creation of the county of Brantley.

House Bill No. 565. A bill to provide for the salary of the Treasurer of the county of Schley.

House Bill No. 683. A bill to amend an act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Jasper.

House Bill No. 714. A bill to amend an act relative to the city court of Statesboro, in Bulloch county.

House Bill No. 645. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Elbert county.

House Bill No. 810. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Milledgeville.

House Bill No. 822. A bill to amend an act establishing the city court of Hall county.

House Bill No. 763. A bill to provide a local Board of Trustees for the Georgia Military Academy.

House Bill No. 725. A bill to create Bond Commissioners for Ware county.

House Bill No. 647. A bill to amend an Act relative to fees of clerks in Superior Courts in counties of certain populations.

House Bill No. 811. A bill to create a City Court for the County of Barrow.

House Bill No. 629. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Atlanta, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from His Excellency the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. McCurry:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency, the Governor, to deliver to the House of Representatives a communi-

cation in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA, August 2, 1922.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I beg to invite your attention to certain inequalities and injustices which exist under the laws of our State against women, and to urge upon you such modification of the law as will remove these injustices and discriminations:

1. I recommend that Section 3033, Volume 1 of the Civil Code of 1911 be so amended as to give to the Mother, as well as the Father, whether a widow or not, equal right with the Father to appoint a guardian for the persons of their children and for such property as she may devise or bequeath to such child.

2. I recommend that Section 3032, Volume 1 of the Civil Code of Georgia of 1911 shall be so amended as to make the Mother and Father equal natural guardians of their minor children.

3. I recommend that Section 3031 of the Civil Code of Georgia of 1911, Volume 1, be so amended as to confer a joint control and an equal right upon the Father and Mother with respect to the services and proceeds of labor of minor children.

4. I recommend that Section 4467 of the Civil Code of this State shall be so amended as to confer a right of action against any person who sells or furnishes spirituous liquor to a minor child upon the Mother as well as upon the Father of such child.

5. I further recommend that legislation be enacted granting to each and every married woman in the State of Georgia the absolute right to have, hold, own, retain and enjoy as her separate property any wages or earnings acquired or gained by her in employment or occupation of business as her special estate and property, and the consent of the husband to the work or labor of his wife shall not be necessary and that the said earnings in every case shall be the sole and separate property of the wife.

In conclusion, I urge and recommend the repeal of every unfair discrimination against married women, but would urge extreme care in the consideration of the question as to whether or not laws which protect her in the enjoyment of her separate property are not wise and should not be retained. In my judgment, many of these laws are for the best interests of the women of the State and should never be repealed. They are intended for her protection and accomplish that result, in many cases.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committee, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Resolution No. 200 (879A). A resolution providing for the establishment of a school building on State Farm.

By Mr. Sapp of Whitfield—

House Resolution No. 202 (879C). A resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate accoustics of House of Representatives.

By Mr. Ridley of the 28th—

Senate Resolution No. 75. A resolution providing for the acceptance of fund from Congress to better health conditions.

By Mr. Childs of the 12th—

Senate Bill No. 233. A bill to amend an act codyfying the School laws of the State of Georgia.

By Mr. Campbell of the 34th—

Senate Bill No. 242. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Covington.

By Mr. Hutchens of the 38th—

Senate Bill No. 253. A bill to amend an act to protect the furbearing animals of the State.

By Mr. Pope of the 44th—

Senate Bill No. 258. A bill to amend an act abolishing the Board of Roads and Revenues for Walker County.

By Mr. Peacock of the 48th—

Senate Bill No. 263. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Eastman.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke and Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 579. A bill to supply a deficiency in the School Funds caused by misappropriation of R. N. Berrien.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 722. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Augusta.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 758. A bill to amend the charter of the city of College Park.

By Mr. Trippe of Bartow—

House Bill No. 767. A bill to provide giving notice of the use of person's names in names of corporations.

By Messrs. Hufstetler of Murray, Owens of Gordon and others—

House Bill No. 805. A bill to prohibit the taking of fish from streams with seines, nets, etc.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 821. A bill to amend par, 1, Sec. 13, art. 6 of the constitution, relative to payment of Judge Superior Court of Muscogee County from Treasury of said County.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 835. A bill to repeal the present and provide a new charter for the city of Cordele.

By Messrs. Winship, Fowler and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 842. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Macon.

By Messrs. Winship, Fowler and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 843. A bill to permit the County of Bibb to support the Macon Hospital.

By Messrs. Dobbs and Gann of Cobb—

House Bill No. 845. A bill to amend an act establishing the town of Austell.

By Messrs. Reville and Pilcher of Richmond—

House Bill No. 863. A bill to amend Section 6065 of Code of 1910, relative to official organs.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 871. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Augusta.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 876. A bill to amend an act known as the “Tattnall Board of Commissioners, Created.”

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 877. A bill to amend an act known as “The Tattnall Road Law, Adopted.”

By Messrs. Perryman of Talbot, Knight of Berrien and others—

House Bill No. 878. A bill to repeal Article 1 of Penal Code of 1910, relative to Penitentiaries.

By Messrs. Bozeman of Worth and Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 881. A bill to amend section 5898 of Code of 1910, relative to interrogatories.

By Mr. Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 884. A bill to amend an act to

create a Board of County Commissioners for Morgan County.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 886. A bill to amend an act to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Pulaski County.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 887. A bill to amend an act creating a new charter for the city of Hawkinsville.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 888. A bill to amend an act fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Pulaski County.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 898. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Thomasville.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 899. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Cedartown.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 900. A bill to repeal certain acts applying to the city of Columbus and Muscogee County.

By Messrs. Grovenstein of Effingham and Evans of Screven—

House Bill No. 901. A bill to prohibit the taking of fish from fresh water streams of this State with seine or trap, etc.

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 902. A bill to amend an act establishing a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Habersham County.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway, and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 652. A bill to authorize additional ways for counties of certain population to provide for support of paupers, and for other purposes.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

Amend by striking “seventy-five thousand” in line three of the caption and substituting “one hundred and fifty thousand” therefor, and by striking “75,000” in line two of section one and substituting “150,000” therefor.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 131, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway, and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 650. A bill to authorize counties of certain population to provide for necessary public sanitation, and for other purposes.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

Amend by striking “75,000” from line two of the caption and substituting “150,000” therefor and by striking “75,000” in line three of section one and substituting “150,000” therefor.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed as amended.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 274. A bill to amend Charter of City of Albany.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 196. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Dougherty, and for other purposes.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the Senate was withdrawn from the Committee on Special Judiciary, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. Peacock of 48th—

Senate Bill No. 263. A bill to amend Act creating City Court of Eastman.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 782 was re-committed to the Committee on Municipal Government.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 725. A bill to amend Act creating bond commission for Ware County.

House Bill No. 638. A bill to amend Charter of City of Pearson.

House Bill No. 629. A bill to amend Charter of City of Atlanta.

House Bill No. 763. A bill to provide a local Board of Trustees for Georgia Military College.

A bill to amend Act creating Charter of City of Milledgeville.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate, to wit:

Senate Bill No. 275. A bill to amend Act providing a system of Public Schools for Albany, Ga.

The following bills of the House were taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments:

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 811. A bill to create a City Court for the County of Barrow.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by striking Section 51 and numbering sequent sections accordingly.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 725. A bill to amend Act to amend an Act to create a Bond Commission for Ware County.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amend by striking Section 2 of said bill and substituting in lieu thereof as Section 2 the following: "Section 2. The term of the eight elective members of said Bond Commission now in office shall expire on Nov. 15, 1922."

Amend by striking Section 3 of said bill and substituting in lieu of Section 3 as Section 3 the following: "Section 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that the eight elective members of said Ware County Bond Commission to succeed the present elective members of the Commission shall be elected at the general election to be held in Ware County for State House Officers in the year 1922."

Mr. Bowden of Ware moved that the House concur in the above amendments of the Senate and the motion prevailed.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Watkins of Butts—

House Bill No. 6. A bill to repeal the act to regulate the return and assessment of property for taxation in this State.

Mr. Gresham of Burke moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the passage of the bill Mr. Wyatt of Troup called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Hawkins	Pilcher
Anderson	Henderson	Price
Baldwin	Herring	Pruett
Beck	Hillhouse	Quincey
Bird of Taliaferro	Hines of Decatur	Ramsey
Bloodworth	Hodges	Reagan
Bobo	Holland	Reville
Bowden	Houser	Ricketson
Braddy	Houston	Robinson
Byrd of Crisp	Howard of Forsyth	Russell
Camp	Howard of Screven	Rutherford
Carr	Hullender	Shettlesworth
Childs	Hyman	Singletary
Clark of Colquitt	Jackson	Smiley
Clark of Webster	Johnson of Bartow	Stone
Clifton	Keith	Stovall
Collier	Kennedy	Sumner of Johnson
Corbitt	King of Wilcox	Sumner of Wheeler
Culpepper	Kittrell	Swindle
Daniel of Troup	Knight	Tatum
DeLaPerriere	Langford of Hall	Thompson of Dodge
Dickerson	Lewis	Van Zant
Duncan of Dawson	Logan	Watkins
Duncan of Hall	Luke	Way
Evans	McDonald of	Whitley
Foy	Richmond	Whitaker of Rockdale
Franks	McMichael	Whitworth
Griffin	Maddox	Williams of Harris
Griffith	Mixon	Williams of Miller
Greene	Neal of Union	Williams of Walton
Grovenstein	Owen	Wimberly
Guess	Patten	Wood
Gunnels	Peterson	Woodard
Haddock	Phillips of Jasper	Wyatt
Harris	Pickren	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Ficklen	Mundy
Arnold	Folsom	Nichols
Atkinson	Fowler	Parks
Beckham	Gresham	Parrish
Bentley	Hatcher of Burke	Penland
Blalock	Hatcher of Muscogee	Perkins
Bleckley	Hines of Sumter	Perryman
Boswell	Holloway	Phillips of Telfair
Bowen	Hunter	Riley
Boyett	Jones of Coweta	Salmon
Bozeman	Jones of Thomas	Sapp
Branch	Jones of Walker	Sibley
Brannen	Johnson of	Smith of Bryan
Brantley	Chattahoochee	Smith of Carroll
Brown of Emanuel	Johnson of Pickens	Smith of Haralson
Brown of Hancock	King of Jefferson	Smith of Meriwether
Brownlee	Lankford of Toombs	Steele
Carswell	McClelland	Strickland
Coates	McClure	Thompson of Coweta
Collins	McDonald of Mitchell	Trippe
Daniel of Heard	MacIntyre	Turner
Davis of Floyd	Malone	Tyson
Davis of Oglethorpe	Mann	Van Landingham
DeFoor	Manning	Vocelle
Dobbs	Mason	Walker
DuBose	Mayo	Webb
Dudley	Miles	Weston
Dykes	Moore of Fulton	Winship
Ennis	Moye	Worthy

Those not voting were Messrs:

Beatwright	Grant	Swift
Bush	Hamilton	Valentino
Cowart	Horne	Wall
Dixon	Hufstetler	Whitaker of Lowndes
Fletcher	McGarity	Mr. Speaker
Gann	Moore of Appling	

Ayes 104, Nays 86.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 86.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Moyer of Randolph gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 6.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill just passed be immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

On the motion to immediately transmit Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the motion to immediately transmit Mr. Vocelle of Camden called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

On the motion to immediately transmit House Bill No. 6 to the Senate the Ayes were 109, Nays 39, and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 210. *Whereas* our veteran member from the County of Habersham, the Honorable James Hampton Grant, an old and honored Confederate Veteran, is now confined to his room on account of sickness;

Therefore be it resolved: That the House of Representatives extend to our distinguished member our heartfelt sympathy and earnestly express the hope of his speedy recovery and that he will soon be in his accustomed seat near the Speaker's stand.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved that the House reconsider its action in voting to immediately transmit House Bill No. 6 to the Senate.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the House do now adjourn.

The motion to adjourn, taking precedence over the preceding motion, prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Grant of Habersham and Fowler of Bibb.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker Pro-tem, Mr. Arnold of Clay.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Rules Committee having had under considera-

tion an order of business for an afternoon session August 2nd, has instructed me as their Vice-Chairman to report the following order:

House Bill No. 157. Jewelers Lien Bill.

House Bill No. 203. Appropriations State Sanitarium.

Senate Bill No. 253. Fox and Opossum.

House Bill No. 564. Electric Chair.

House Bill No. 18. Title Bill.

Senate Bill No. 176. Letting Contracts by Highway Department.

House Bill No. 669. Amendment to Prohibition Law.

House Bill No. 716. Amending Charter Law.

House Bill No. 832. Amend Gasoline Tax Bill.

House Bill No. 626. Female Poll Tax Exemption.

House Bill No. 754. Capital Stock Trust Companies.

Senate Bill No. 230. DeKalb County Judge Bill.

House Bill No. 765. Chattahoochee Judgeship.

MUNDY, Vice-Chairman.

By unanimous consent Mr. Pickren, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 834.

PICKREN, Chairman.

By unanimous consent Mr. Tatum of Dade County, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Railroads have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 622.

TATUM of Dade,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the

House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 896.

House Bill No. 885.

House Bill No. 880.

House Bill No. 897.

House Bill No. 894.

House Bill No. 782, by substitute.

SMITH of Meriwether,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent Mr. McMichael of Marion County, Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 2 has had under consideration House Resolution No. 204 and instructed me as its Chairman to report that the same do pass.

McMICHAEL, Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Greene of Jones:

House Resolution No. 204 (897A). A resolution

providing for the election of more than one member of Board of Commissioners of Jones County.

By Messrs. Bentley of Fulton, Fowler of Bibb, **and** others—

House Bill No. 622. A bill to regulate the operation of motor vehicles in certain towns and cities.

By Messrs. Langford and Duncan of Hall—

House Bill No. 782. A bill to amend the act incorporating the City of Gainesville.

By Mr. Boswell of Greene—

House Bill No. 834. A bill to amend an act incorporating the town of Greensboro.

By Mr. Wood of Twiggs—

House Bill No. 880. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Jeffersonville.

By Mr. Hunter of Chatham—

House Bill No. 885. A bill to authorize officials of towns and municipalities to appropriate sums to State Sanitorium for Tubercular patients.

By Messrs. Gann and Dobbs of Cobb—

House Bill No. 894. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Marietta.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 897. A bill to amend the charter of the City of East Point.

By Messrs. Bentley, Moore and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 896. A bill to amend the charter of the City of East Point.

The following bills of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage.

By Messrs. Kittrell of Laurens, Holloway, Moore, and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 157. A bill to create a lien in favor of jewelers and to provide for the foreclosure of same.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

Amend section one by striking out the words "or bona fide private" in line 15 thereof.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

Amend by adding to section one the following words: "Provided, that no lien in favor of any person shall arise where goods have been stolen and pawned or deposited without consent of true owner."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed as amended.

By Messrs. Ennis of Baldwin and Dixon of Jenkins—

House Bill No. 203. A bill to appropriate \$108,-916.00 for supplying deficiency for completion of Nurses Home at State Sanitarium.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House, and the Speaker designated Mr. Pickren of Charlton as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

Mr. Shettlesworth of Gwinnett moved that the bill be tabled.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and House Bill No. 203 went over as unfinished business.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Hillhouse of Worth.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Thursday, August 3, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following bills of the Senate were withdrawn from the committee, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 274. A bill to amend present charter of City of Albany.

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 275. A bill to amend an Act to provide for a system of public schools for the City of Albany.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of House Bill No. 878 were ordered printed for the use of the House and Senate.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining

part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House, were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. Guess, Stelle and McClelland of DeKalb:

House Bill No. 916. A bill to repeal Section 1398 of Civil Code of 1910, relative to admission of females in colleges.

Referred to the Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. King of Wilcox:

House Bill No. 917. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for County of Wilcox.

Referred to Committees on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. King of Wilcox:

House Bill No. 918. A bill to change the time of holding the Superior Court of Wilcox County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. King of Wilcox:

House Bill No. 919. A bill to repeal an Act establishing Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Wilcox County.

Referred to Committees on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Guess, Steele and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 920. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Normal and Industrial College at Bowdon.

Referred to the Committee on University of Georgia and its Branches.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 921. A bill to amend Section 1430, of the Civil Code of 1910, relative to Trustees of Academy for Deaf and Dumb.

Referred to Committee on Georgia School for the Deaf.

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 922. A bill to create a Bond Commission of the State to issue Highway Bonds, etc.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 923. A bill to amend Art. 7 of Constitution so as to permit issuance of Highway Bonds, etc.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to Constitution.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 924. A bill to repeal an Act amending the charter of the City of Cordele.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Beck of Carroll and others—

House Bill No. 925. A bill to provide for a fair distribution of motor vehicle tax funds.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture No. 2.

The bill was referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Public Highways. By unanimous consent the bill was withdrawn from that Committee and referred to the Committee on General Agriculture No. 2.

By Messrs. Clarke and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 926. A bill to amend Section 4651 of Code of 1910, relative to list of N. P.'s & J. P.'s.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 927. A bill to amend an Act and Amendatory Acts creating a new charter for City of Madison.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 928. A bill to amend an Act establishing a system of public schools for Hazelhurst.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 929. A bill to fix the terms of the Superior Court of Jeff Davis County.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Clarke and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 930. A bill the amend the charter of the Town of Doerun.

Referred to Committees on Corporations.

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 931. A bill to amend an Act relative to consolidated public schools in each county.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Bill No. 932. A bill to repeal an Act creating a city court of Cleveland.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Messrs. Horne and Thompson of Dodge—

House Bill No. 933. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Eastman.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Stovall of McDuffie—

House Bill No. 934. A bill to amend an Act fixing the salary of the Solicitor General of Augusta Judicial Circuit.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. Gunnels of Franklin County, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics

have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 910.

GUNNELS of Franklin,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren, of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 906.

House Bill No. 912.

PICKREN, of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 178.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE,

Chairman.

The following communication was received from Mr. S. G. McLendon, Secretary of State:

STATE OF GEORGIA,

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE.

I, S. G. McLendon, Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify, That the one page of typewritten matter hereto attached is a true copy of the names of legislative agents registered with this office under an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, approved August 19, 1911, as the same appear of record on page 16 of the Docket of Legislative Appearance, which is of file in this office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office, at the Capitol, in the City of Atlanta, this third day of August,

in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and twenty-one, and of the Independence of the United States of America the One Hundred and Forty-sixth.

S. G. McLENDON,

Secretary of State.

Legislative Agents registered with the Secretary of State for 1921.

Name of Attorney or Agent number 16; Grover Middlebrooks, Atlanta; 17, W. I. Geer, Colquitt, Georgia.

Firm or Association represented; Georgia Hotel Men's Association, filed August 1, 1921; G. A. Dozier, J. J. and S. L. Monroe, J. M. Clements et al; R. M. Jordan, E. G. Jordan; all of Calhoun County, Georgia.

Subject Matter—Fee. Favoring or opposing certain legislation in re “Hotels and Hotel Keepers.” \$25.00; Opposing of Court House from Morgan, Georgia to Edison, Georgia, and also Bill to abolish Board of County Commission of Calhoun County and establish new Board, \$25.00.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 906. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Washington, Georgia.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 910. A bill to authorize the State Highway Department to condemn land, and bridges, etc.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Bill No. 912. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Rockledge.

By Mr. Manson of the 33rd—

Senate Bill No. 178. A bill to authorize the different counties to fix the period of the fiscal year.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 887. A bill to amend Act creating new charter for City of Hawkinsville.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 129, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 888. A bill to amend Act fixing salary of Treasurer of Pulaski County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 128, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 898. A bill to amend charter of City of Thomasville.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 127, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnal—

House Bill No. 876. A bill to amend Act known as "Tattnall Board of Commissioners created."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Holland of Tattnall—

House Bill No. 877. A bill to amend Act known as “Tattnall Road Law adopted.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 884. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners for County of Morgan.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 131,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 871. A bill to amend charter of City of Augusta.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 206, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Coates of Pulaski—

House Bill No. 886. A bill to amend an Act to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Pulaski County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Fowler, Winship and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 843. A bill to permit the County of Bibb to support the Macon Hospital.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 201, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Dobbs and Gann of Cobb—

House Bill No. 845. A bill to amend an Act establishing and creating a new charter for the Town of Austell.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 190
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Boswell of Green—

House Bill No. 834. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Greensboro.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 140,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Wood of Twiggs—

House Bill No. 880. A bill to amend an Act to establish a new charter for the City of Jeffersonville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 139, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Gann and Dobbs of Cobb—

House Bill No. 894. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Marietta.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 138, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway, and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 896. A bill to amend the charter of East Point.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Langford and Duncan of Hall—

House Bill No. 782. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Gainesville.

The Committee substitute was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 902. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Habersham and the County of Lowndes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 899. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Cedartown.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 150, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite Constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Bentley, Moore, and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 897. A bill to amend the charter of City of East Point.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Fowler, Winship, and Malone of Bibb—

House Bill No. 842. A bill to amend the charter of Macon.

The following Committee Amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding thereto the following Sections: "Section 4. The City of Macon is hereby authorized to bargain, grant, sell and convey to owners of property in Square 95, original city, which fronts on Second Street in the City of Macon, and which lies between the encroachment line on Arch Street and Oglethorpe Street in said City, encroachment extending into said Second Street from the original line of said Second Street, a distance of twenty-four (24) feet."

“Section 5. All Acts or parts of Acts in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Green of Jones—

House Bill No. 204. A resolution for the election of more than one member of Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Jones County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 142, Nays 0.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 722. A bill to amend charter of City of Augusta.

The following Committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend Section 45 by striking the words “at the

Court House of Richmond County'' between the words '' at the'' and ''City of Augusta'' and insert in lieu thereof ''at the regular voting places in each ward in said City.''

By adding to said Section 45 between the words ''appointed'' and ''made all usual'' the following ''But no employer or officer of the City of Augusta shall be appointed as Manager or Clerk.''

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 147, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Pope of 44th—

Senate Bill No. 258. A bill to amend an Act abolishing the Board of Roads and Revenues and creating a Board of Commissioners for the County of Walker.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 150, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 758. A bill to amend the charter of College Park.

The Committee substitute was read and adopted.

The following Committee amendments to the Committee substitute were read and adopted:

The Committee on Municipal Government of the House amends the substitute to House Bill No. 758 by adding to the caption, after the word “thereto,” and before the word “and,” in the next to the last line of same, the following: “So as to provide for the election of the members of the Board of Education of the City of College Park,” and the Committee further moves to amend said substitute by adding after Section Eleven thereof, the following Sections, as Sections Twelve, Thirteen and Fourteen, to-wit:

Section Twelve. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that Section 1 of the Act of the General Assembly, amending the said Acts incorporating the City of Manchester, approved August 10, 1920, and relating to the election of the member of the Board of Education of the City of College Park (Georgia Laws, page 1189), be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Section Thirteen. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that Section 3 of the Act of the General Assembly amending the aforesaid Acts in-

incorporating the City of Manchester, approved August 14, 1908 (Georgia Laws, page 557 and 558), providing for the Election of the members of the Board of Education of said City, be, and the same is hereby repealed, and the following Section Substituted in lieu thereof as Section 3 of said Act to-wit:

“Section 3. That a Board of Education for said City is hereby created and the same shall consist of the Mayor of said City of College Park, who shall be ex-officio a member of said Board, and of five members who shall be citizens of said City, and who are free-holders, to be elected at the general election for Mayor and Council to be held in said City on the first Monday in December, 1922, on the same manner in which the Mayor and Councilmen of said City are elected; two of said members of said Board shall be elected at said time from the City at large, and their terms of office shall begin on the first day of January, A. D. 1923, and shall continue for three years, and until their successors are elected and qualified; three members of said Board shall be elected at said time, whose term of office shall begin on the first day of January 1923, the election of said three members to be as follows: One member of said Board shall be elected from the First Ward in said City, and shall be a resident of said Ward, for a term of one year; one member of said Board shall be elected from the Second Ward of said City, and shall be a resident of said Ward for a term of two years; and one member of said Board shall be

elected from the Third Ward in said City, and shall be a resident, of said Ward for a term of three years; that on the first Monday in December of each and any year thereafter in which any of the terms of office of any of the members of said Board elected as herein provided, shall expire, there shall be held an election, as herein provided, for a successor of successors in office to the member or members of said Board whose term of office will expire, under the provisions of this Act on December 31, of said year. The term of office of the members of said Board, after the expiration of the terms just provided for, shall be three years, and until their successors are elected and qualified; and one of said members shall be elected for said term for the First Ward; and shall be a resident thereof, and one of said members shall be elected from the Second Ward, for said term, and shall be a resident thereof, and one of said members shall be elected for said term from the Third Ward, and shall be a resident thereof. Said Board shall elect from their own members a President, Vice-President, and a Secretary and Treasurer. No member of the Board shall receive any compensation for his services, except the Secretary and Treasurer, who shall receive such compensation as the Board may prescribe. No member of said Board shall hold the office of Councilman of said City, and the election of any member of the Board to such office shall immediately work a forfeiture of his office as a member of said Board. Any vacancy in said Board caused by death, resigna-

tion, removal or otherwise than by the expiration of the term of office of a member shall be filled by said Board until the next regular election for such member or members. All elections for the members of said Board of Education shall be by the qualified voters of said City, as herein provided for, and shall be held under the same rules and regulations and with the same qualifications as to electors, as are provided for in the elections for Mayor and Councilmen of said City. The Board of Education of said City, as at present constituted, shall continue in office and be authorized to perform all the duties which they are at present empowered and authorized to perform, until the first day of January, 1923."

Section Fourteen. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that Sections Twelve and Thirteen of this Act, relating to the election of the members of the Board of Education of said City shall not become effective or operative unless and until the same are ratified by a majority of the qualified voters of said City voting in an election which shall be called for that purpose by the Mayor and Council of said City within fifteen days from the date of the passage of this Act, and which election shall be held not later than sixty days from the passage of the ordinance of the Mayor and Council of said City calling said election, notice of which election shall be given in the manner prescribed by the charter of said City, and which shall be subject to the same rules and regulations governing elections for Mayor and Councilmen of said City. Those

in favor of the ratification of said Sections shall cast ballots in said election having written or printed thereon the words: "For election of members of Board of Education by the people;" those against the ratification of said Sections shall cast ballots in said election having written or printed thereon the words: "Against election of members of Board of Education by the people." In the event the result of said election is in favor of the ratification of said Sections, they shall thereupon immediately become effective.

The Committee further moves to amend said substitute by renumbering Sections Twelve and Thirteen thereof, so that the same will follow Sections Twelve, Thirteen and Fourteen of this amendment, and be numbered respectively, Sections Fifteen and Sixteen of said substitute bill.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 139, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins and Hatcher, of Muscogee—

A BILL.

House Bill No: 821. To be entitled an Act to amend Paragraph 1, Section 13 of Article 6 of the

Constitution of Georgia regulating the salaries of the Judges of the Superior Courts, by providing for the payment from the County Treasury of Muscogee County to the Judge of the Circuit of which said County is a part, an additional compensation; and for other purposes.

Section 1. The General Assembly of the State of Georgia hereby proposes to the People of Georgia an amendment to Paragraph 1 of Section 13 of Article 6 of the Constitution of this State, as follows:

By adding to Paragraph 1 of Section 13, of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia as it now is the following—

“Provided, That the County of Muscogee, from and after January 1, 1925, shall pay from its Treasury to the Superior Court Judges of the Circuit of which it is a part such sums as will with the salary paid each Judge from the State Treasury, make a salary of Six Thousand Dollars per annum to each Judge, and said payments are declared to be a part of the Court expenses of such County.”

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that whenever the above proposed amendment to the Constitution of this State shall be agreed to by two-thirds of the members elected to each of the Houses of the General Assembly, and the same has been entered upon their Journals, with the ayes and nays taken thereon, the Governor shall, and he is hereby authorized and instructed to cause the

above proposed amendment to be published in one or more newspapers in each Congressional District in this State for the period of two months next preceding the time of holding the next General election; and the Governor is hereby authorized and directed to provide for the submission of the amendment proposed for ratification, or rejection to the electors of this State at the next general election to be held after said publication, at which election every person shall be qualified to vote who is entitled to vote for members of the General Assembly. All persons voting at such election in favor of adopting the said proposed amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "For amendment to Paragraph 1 of Section 13 of Article 6 of the Constitution, providing for additional compensation to be paid by Muscogee County, to the Judges of the Circuit of which it is a part." All persons opposed to the adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against amendment to Paragraph 1 of Section 13 of Article 6 of the Constitution providing for additional compensation to be paid by Muscogee County to the Judges of the Circuit of which it is a part." If a majority of the electors qualified to vote for members of the General Assembly, voting thereon, shall vote for ratification, the Governor shall, when he ascertains the same from the Secretary of State, to whom the returns from said election shall be referred in the same manner as in cases of election for members of the General Assembly to count and

ascertain the result, issue his proclamation for one insertion in one daily paper of the State, announcing such result and declaring the amendment ratified.

Section 3. Be it further enacted that all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Daniel of Heard	Hatcher of Burke
Adams of Walton	Davis of Floyd	Hatcher of Muscogee
Anderson	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hawkins
Arnold	DeLaPerriere	Henderson
Atkinson	Dickerson	Herring
Baldwin	Dobbs	Hines of Sumter
Beck	DuBose	Hodges
Beckham	Dudley	Horne
Bird of Taliaferro	Duncan of Dawson	Houser
Bleckley	Duncan of Hall	Hullender
Bowden	Dykes	Hunter
Boyett	Ennis	Hyman
Bozeman	Evan-	Jackson
Braddy	Ficklen	Jones of Coweta
Branch	Folsom	Johnson of Bartow
Brannen	Fowler	Johnson of
Brantley	Foy	Chattahoochee
Brown of Emanuel	Franks	Johnson of Pickens
Camp	Gann	Keith
Carswell	Gresham	Kennedy
Clark of Colquitt	Griffin	King of Jefferson
Clark of Webster	Griffith	King of Wilcox
Coates	Grovenstein	Kittrell
Collins	Guess	Knight
Corbitt	Hamilton	Langford of Hall
	Harris	Lankford of Toombs

Lewis	Penland	Thompson of Coweta
Logan	Perkins	Thompson of Dodge
Luke	Perryman	Trippe
McClelland	Phillips of Telfair	Tyson
McClure	Pickren	Valentino
McDonald of Mitchell	Pilcher	Van Landingham
McGarity	Pruett	Van Zant
MacIntyre	Ricketson	Vocelle
McMichael	Riley	Walker
Maddox	Robinson	Watkins
Malone	Rutherford	Way
Manning	Sapp	Weston
Mason	Sibley	Whitaker of Rockdale
Mayo	Singletary	Whitworth
Miles	Smith of Meriwether	Williams of Harris
Moye	Steele	Williams of Miller
Neal of Union	Stovall	Williams of Walton
Nichols	Strickland	Winship
Owen	Sumner of Johnson	Wood
Parks	Sumner of Wheeler	Woodard
Parrish	Swift	Wynne
Patten	Swindle	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Bobo	Greene	Price
Boswell	Haddock	Ramsey
Clifton	Holland	Salmon
Collier	Houston	Shettlesworth
Daniel of Troup	Howard of Forsyth	Webb
DeFoor	Jones of Thomas	Werthy

Those not voting were Messrs:

Bentley	Cowart	Hufstetler
Blalock	Culpepper	Jones of Walker
Bloodworth	Dixon	McDonald of
Boatwright	Fletcher	Richmond
Bowen	Grant	Mann
Brown of Hancock	Gunnels	Mixon
Brownlee	Hillhouse	Moore of Appling
Bush	Hines of Decatur	Moore of Fulton
Byrd of Crisp	Holloway	Mundy
Carr	Howard of Screven	Peterson
Childs		

Phillips of Jasper	Smith of Bryan	Wall
Quincey	Smith of Carroll	Whitley
Reagan	Smith of Haralson	Whitaker of Lowndes
Reville	Stone	Wimberly
Russell	Tatum	Wyatt
Smiley	Turner	Mr. Speaker

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 18.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. McDonald, Reville and Pilcher, of Richmond—

House Bill No. 766. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend Paragraph 1, of Section 13, of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, in so far as said paragraph relates to the salary of the Judge of the Superior Court of the Judicial Circuit in which is located the County of Richmond, so as to require the County authorities of Richmond County, from the Treasury of said County, to supplement the salary of such Judge in such amount as when added to the amount received by him out of the State Treasury will amount to seven thousand dollars per annum.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That Paragraph 1 of Section 13 of Article 6, of the Constitution be amended as follows:

(a) By striking out the word “Richmond” wherever it appears in paragraph 1.

(b) By adding at the end of Section 1 of said paragraph the following: And provided, Further that the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Richmond, or such other Board or person as may from time to time exercise the administrative powers of said county, shall supplement from said county’s Treasury, the salary of the Judge of the Superior Court of the circuit of which the said County of Richmond is a part, but such sum as may be necessary with salaries paid such judge from the State Treasury to make a salary for said Judge of \$7,000.00 per annum; and such payments are declared to be a part of the court expenses of said County, and such payment shall be made to the Judge now in office, as well as to his successors. The provisions of this amendment shall take effect and the salaries herein provided for shall begin from the ratification of this amendment, as provided in the second section hereof, and shall apply to the incumbent in office, as well as his successors.

Section 2. Be it further enacted that if this amendment shall be agreed to by two-thirds of the members of the General Assembly of each House, the same shall be entered on their Journals, with the ayes and nays taken thereon, and the Governor shall cause the amendment to be published in one or more of the newspapers in each Congressional District for at least two months immediately preceding the next

general election, and the same shall be submitted to the people at the next general election, and all persons voting at said election in favor of adopting the proposed amendment to the constitution shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For ratification of amendment to Paragraph 1 of Section 13 of Article 6, of the Constitution fixing the salary of the Judge of the Superior Court of the Augusta Circuit;" and all persons opposed to the adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against ratification of amendment to Paragraph 1, of Section 13, of Article 6 of the Constitution fixing the salary of the Judge of the Superior Court of the Augusta Circuit;" and if a majority of the electors qualified to vote for the members of the next General Assembly voting shall vote in favor of the ratification as shown by the consolidation and by the returns made as now provided by law in elections for members of the General Assembly, then said amendment shall become a part of Paragraph 1, of Section 13, of Article 6, of the Constitution of this State, and the Governor shall make proclamation thereof.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Fowler	McMichael
Anderson	Franks	Maddox
Arnold	Gann	Malone
Atkinson	Gresham	Mann
Baldwin	Griffin	Manning
Beck	Griffith	Mason
Beckham	Grovenstein	Miles
Bird of Taliaferro	Guess	Moye
Bleckley	Gunnels	Nichols
Bloodworth	Hamilton	Owen
Boswell	Harris	Parks
Bowden	Hatcher of Burke	Parrish
Bowen	Hatcher of Muscogee	Patten
Bozeman	Hawkins	Penland
Braddy	Henderson	Perkins
Branch	Herring	Phillips of Jasper
Brown of Emanuel	Hines of Decatur	Phillips of Telfair
Brown of Hancock	Hines of Sumter	Pickren
Byrd of Crisp	Holloway	Pilcher
Camp	Horne	Pruett
Carr	Houser	Reagan
Carswell	Howard of Screven	Ricketson
Clark of Colquitt	Hullender	Riley
Clark of Webster	Hunter	Robinson
Coates	Jackson	Sapp
Collins	Jones of Coweta	Sibley
Corbitt	Johnson of Bartow	Smiley
Culpepper	Johnson of	Smith of Meriwether
Daniel of Heard	Chattahoochee	Steele
Daniel of Troup	Kennedy	Stone
Davis of Floyd	King of Jefferson	Stovall
DeLaPerriere	King of Wilcox	Strickland
Dickerson	Kittrell	Sumner of Johnson
Dobbs	Knight	Sumner of Wheeler
DuBose	Langford of Hall	Swift
Dudley	Lankford of Toombs	Swindle
Duncan of Hall	Lewis	Thompson of Coweta
Dykes	Logan	Thompson of Dodge
Ennis	Luke	Frippe
Evans	McClelland	Tyson
Ficklen	McGarity	Valentino
Folsom	MacIntyre	Van Landingham

Van Zant	Weston	Winship
Vocelle	Whitaker of Rockdale	Wood
Watkins	Whitworth	Woodard
Way	Williams of Harris	Worthy
Webb	Williams of Walton	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	DeFoor	Keith
Bobo	Greene	McDonald of Mitchell
Boyett	Haddock	Price
Brownlee	Hodges	Ramsey
Clifton	Holland	Salmon
Collier	Jones of Thomas	Williams of Miller

Those not voting were Messrs:

Bentley	Hufstetler	Russell
Blalock	Hyman	Rutherford
Boatwright	Jones of Walker	Shettlesworth
Brannen	Johnson of Pickens	Singletary
Brantley	McClure	Smith of Bryan
Bush	McDonald of	Smith of Carroll
Childs	Richmond	Smith of Haralson
Cowart	Mayo	Tatum
Davis of Oglethorpe	Mixon	Turner
Dixon	Moore of Appling	Walker
Duncan of Dawson	Moore of Fulton	Wall
Fletcher	Mundy	Whitley
Foy	Neal of Union	Whitaker of Lowndes
Grant	Perryman	Wimberly
Hillhouse	Peterson	Wyatt
Houston	Quincey	Wynne
Howard of Forsyth	Reville	Mr. Speaker

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 139, Nays 18.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to a committee:

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 275. A bill to amend an Act to provide for a system of public schools for the City of Albany.

The following bill of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendment:

By Mr. Corbitt of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 638. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Pearson.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by adding the following, to follow Section 3 and renumbering remaining section accordingly: "Provided further that before the provisions of Section 2 of this Act, shall become of full force and effect only when ratified by a majority of the votes cast by the qualified voters of the City of Pearson, for their approval at an election to be called by the Mayor of said City of Pearson, which election and the notice of the call must be published for thirty days immediately preceding the election, which election shall be held during the year, 1922, in the City of Pearson after the passage of this bill, and it is hereby made the duty of the Mayor or the Mayor pro tem in case the Mayor refuses to call said elec-

tion as provided in this Act, and those parties who wish to cast their ballots for the provisions of Section 2 of this bill, shall do so by casting ballot having written or printed upon them the words 'Against the levy of the tax in the City of Pearson to operate and maintain the public school of said City of Pearson,' and those who wish to cast ballots in favor of the levy of the tax in the City of Pearson for the purpose of raising revenue to operate and maintain the public school of said City of Pearson, and against the provisions of Section 2 of this bill shall do so by casting ballots having written or printed on them the words 'For the levy of tax for the purpose of raising revenue to operate and maintain the public school of said City of Pearson.' Provided further, that the returns of said election shall be made to the Mayor or the Mayor pro tem of the City of Pearson, and he shall declare the result thereof; and provided further that the rules and regulations of holding of said election where not otherwise provided in this bill shall conform to laws of Georgia."

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill No. 283. A bill to amend charter of Lincolnton.

Senate Bill No. 286. A bill to amend an Act to car-

ry into effect in the City of Atlanta the provisions of the amendments to Paragraph 1 Section 7, Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, ratified October 2, 1912, relating to the abolition of Justice, so as to increase the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of Atlanta.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bills, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 276. A bill to change the time of holding the June term of the Superior Court of Barrow County.

Senate Bill No. 288. A bill to incorporate the town of Townsend in the County of McIntosh.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills, to-wit:

House Bill No. 830. A bill to amend an Act abolishing Paulding Board of Commissioners.

House Bill No. 836. A bill to create the office of County Treasurer of Taylor County.

House Bill No. 837. A bill to repeal an Act to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Taylor County.

A bill to amend the Act amending an Act incorporating the town of St. Marys.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The President has appointed as a committee on the part of the Senate to act with a Committee from the House as a Joint Conference Committee to consider the free school book question the following Senators:

Messrs. Walker, Rountree, Boykin.

The following message was received from the Senate through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 827. A bill to amend the Charter of the Town of Warwick, Worth County.

House Bill No. 820. A bill to create a new Charter for the City of Vedralia.

House Bill 818. A bill to amend and consolidate the several Acts of the Legislature to revise and consolidate the several Acts granting corporate authority to the City of Americus.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 816. A bill to repeal an Act to abolish the fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of the Northwestern Judicial Circuits as applied to the office of Solicitor General.

House Bill No. 812. A bill to amend the Charter of Atlanta.

House Bill No. 849. A bill to place the Solicitor General of the Macon Judicial Circuit upon a salary.

House Bill No. 798. A bill to amend an Act creating a new Charter for the City of Hazelhurst in the County of Jeff Davis.

House Bill 773. A bill to amend the Charter of Americus.

House Bill No. 756. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Bolton.

House Bill No. 570. A bill to establish a county depository in Campbell County.

The following resolution of the House was read and taken up for consideration:

By Messrs. Guess, of DeKalb, and Davis, of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 203. A resolution to create a commission to regulate the distribution of coal within this State and for other purposes.

Mr. Bowden, of Ware, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

Mr. McMichael of Marion, moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question and the motion prevailed.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion, moved that the resolution be tabled and the motion prevailed.

The following resolutions of the House were introduced and read:

By Mr. Kittrell, of Laurens—

House Resolution No. 211. A resolution calling for a committee to investigate certain charges made in regard to the Port Terminal and Harbor Commission.

Mr. Bowden, of Ware, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The resolution was lost.

By unanimous consent Mr. Moye, of Randolph, was permitted to be recorded as voting against the investigation of charges made by Mr. Mann, of Glynn, as referred to in the above resolution.

By Mr. Beckham, of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 212. A resolution providing for the postponement of selection of site for State owned port until all interested cities have been given full and fair opportunity to be heard.

Mr. Carswell, of Wilkinson moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Atkinson, of Chatham, gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in adopting House Resolution No. 212.

The speaker appointed the following, on the part of the House, on the Conference Committee on Free School Books:

Messrs. Beck of Carroll,
Gresham of Burke,
Foy of Taylor.

Under orders of the day the following Bill of the House set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Carswell, of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 205. A bill to propose an amendment to the Constitution by striking Paragraph 1,

Section 2, Article 7, and substituting a new paragraph relative to income tax.

Mr. Henderson, of White, moved the previous question.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion, moved that the House do now adjourn.

On this motion Mr. Hyman, of Washington, called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion to adjourn, taking precedence over the motion for the previous question, prevailed, and House Bill No. 205 went over as unfinished business with the motion for the previous question pending.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Price, of Lincoln, and Hamilton, of Floyd.

The speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Davis of Oglethorpe	Howard of Forsyth
Adams of Walton	DeFoor	Howard of Screven
Anderson	DeLaPerriere	Hufstetler
Arnold	Dickerson	Hullender
Atkinson	Dixon	Hunter
Baldwin	Dobbs	Hyman
Beck	DuBose	Jackson
Beckham	Dudley	Jones of Coweta
Bentley	Duncan of Dawson	Jones of Thomas
Bird of Taliaferro	Duncan of Hall	Jones of Walker
Blalock	Dykes	Johnson of Bartow
Bleckley	Ennis	Johnson of Chattahoochee
Bloodworth	Evans	Johnson of Pickens
Boatwright	Ficklen	Keith
Bobo	Fletcher	Kennedy
Boswell	Folsom	King of Jefferson
Bowden	Fowler	King of Wilcox
Bowen	Foy	Kittrell
Boyett	Franks	Knight
Bozeman	Gann	Langford of Hall
Braddy	Grant	Lankford of Toombs
Branch	Gresham	Lewis
Brannen	Griffin	Logan
Brantley	Griffith	Luke
Brown of Emanuel	Greene	McClelland
Brown of Hancock	Grovenstein	McClure
Brownlee	Guess	McDonald of Mitchell
Bush	Gunnels	McDonald of Richmond
Byrd of Crisp	Haddock	
Camp	Hamilton	
Carr	Harris	McGarity
Carswell	Hatcher of Burke	MacIntyre
Childs	Hatcher of Muscogee	McMichael
Clark of Colquitt	Hawkins	Maddox
Clark of Webster	Henderson	Malone
Clifton	Herring	Mann
Coates	Hillhouse	Manning
Collier	Hines of Decatur	Mason
Collins	Hines of Sumter	Mayo
Corbitt	Hodges	Miles
Cowart	Holland	Mixon
Culpepper	Holloway	Moore of Appling
Daniel of Heard	Horne	Moore of Fulton
Daniel of Troup	Houser	Moye
Davis of Floyd	Houston	Mundy

Neal of Union	Salmon	Van Landingham
Nichols	Sapp	Van Zant
Owen	Shettlesworth	Vocelle
Parks	Sibley	Walker
Parrish	Singletary	Wall
Patten	Smiley	Watkins
Penland	Smith of Bryan	Way
Perkins	Smith of Carroll	Webb
Perryman	Smith of Haralson	Weston
Peterson	Smith of Meriwether	Whitley
Phillips of Jasper	Steele	Whitaker of Lowndes
Phillips of Telfair	Stone	Whitaker of Rockdale
Pickren	Stovall	Whitworth
Pilcher	Strickland	Williams of Harris
Price	Sumner of Johnson	Williams of Miller
Pruett	Sumner of Wheeler	Williams of Walton
Quincey	Swift	Wimberly
Ramsey	Swindle	Winship
Reagan	Tatum	Wood
Reville	Thompson of Coweta	Woodard
Ricketson	Thompson of Dodge	Worthy
Riley	Trippe	Wyatt
Robinson	Turner	Wynne
Russell	Tyson	Mr. Speaker
Rutherford	Valentino	

The following report of the Committee on Rules was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

The Rules Committee having had under consideration an order of business for the afternoon session of August 3rd, instruct me, as their Vice-Chairman, to report the following special order of business:

1. Introduction of New Matter.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Second Reading House and Senate Bill favorably reported.

4. House Bill No. 863. General Bill with a local application for Richmond County.

5. House Bill No. 203. Appropriation for State Sanitarium.

6. House Bill No. 564. Electric Chair Bill.

7. Senate Bill No. 176. Letting Contracts by Highway Department.

8. House Bill 327. Automobile Tire Bill.

No. 9. Senate Bill No. 230. DeKalb County Judge Bill.

10. House Bill No. 765. Chattahoochee Judgship.

11. House Bill No. 669. Amendment to Prohibition Law.

12. House Bill No. 716. Amending Charter Law.

13. House Bill No. 832. Amendment Gasoline Law.

14. H. B. 614. Payment County Police.

15. House Bill No. 630. Change of Venue for Grand Jury.

16. House Bill No. 579. Appropriation Berrien Defaulcation.

17 Senate Bill No. 60. Amending Securities Law.

18. House Bill No. 568. Repealing Law Relating to Investment Company.

19. House Bill No. 674. Amending Law Relative to Bar Examination.

20. House Bill No. 300. State Veterinarian.

21. House Bill No. 745. Adding Women to Vote of Trustees State Sanitarium.

22. House Bill No. 626. Female Poll Tax Exemption.

23. House Bill No. 383. Amending Law relative to Committment State Sanitarium.

24. House Bill No. 139. Deputy Insurance Commissioners Salary.

25. House Resolution No. 160. Appropriation for Mansion Lease Committee.

MUNDY, Vice-Chairman.

The following Bills of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Corbitt, of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 935. A bill to amend the Act creating Board of Commissioners for Atkinson County.

Referred to Committee on County and County Matters.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins, of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 836. A bill to empower governing bodies of cities to select Mayor pro-tem, or Recorder pro-tem, for certain purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Beck, of Carroll—

House Bill No. 837. A bill to amend Section 695 of Parks Code, Volume 1, relative to road duty.

Referred to Committee on County and County Matters.

Mr. DuBose, of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 883.

DuBOSE, of Clarke, Chairman.

Mr. Moore, of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 914. Do pass.

MOORE, of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Kittrell, of Laurens County, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture No. 1 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture No. 1 have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 198. Do pass.

C. H. KITTRELL, of Laurens, Chairman.

Mr. Tatum, of Dade County, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Railroads have had under consideration the following Resolution of the Sen-

ate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Resolution No. 71.

TATUM, of Dade County, Chairman.

Mr. Guess, of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 594. Do pass by substitute.

Senate Bill No. 161. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 590. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 823. Do pass.

House Bill No. 698. Do pass.

CARL N. GUESS, Chairman.

Mr. Smith, of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Corporations have had under consideration the following Bill of the

House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bills Nos. 911, 915, 927, 933. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 857.

SMITH, of Meriwether, Chairman.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read the second time:

By Messrs. Moore, of Fulton, and DeLaPerriere, of Jackson—

House Bill No. 594. A bill to provide credit unions and for other purposes.

By Messrs. Brown, of Emanuel, and Lankford, of Toombs—

House Bill No. 698. A bill to change the annual fees for licensing motor vehicles.

By Messrs. Hunter, Atkinson and Valentino, of Chatham—

House Bill No. 857. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Savannah.

By Mr. MacIntyre, of Thomas:

House Bill No. 883. A bill to tax Gypsy traders in this State.

By Mr. Quincey, of Coffee—

House Bill No. 911. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Nicholls in Coffee County.

By Messrs. Hyman & Hawkins, of Washington—

House Bill No. 914. A bill to authorize certain officials of Sandersville to collect certain taxes.

By Mr. Brown, of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 915. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Adrian.

By Mr. Manson, of the 35th—

Senate Resolution No. 71. A bill providing a commission for junking the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railway Co.

By Mr. Taylor, of the 46th—

Senate Bill No. 161. A bill to repeal an Act to establish the City Court of Alma.

By Mr. Ridley, of the 28th—

Senate Bill No. 198. A bill to provide for licensing of nurserymen.

The following resolution of the House was introduced and read:

By Mr. Kittrell, of Laurens—

House Resolution No. 213. A resolution.

Whereas, The City of Brunswick has tendered an invitation to the General Assembly to visit the City of Brunswick on the following Saturday and Sunday, August 5 and 6, at the expense of the City of Brunswick, for the purpose of inspecting their City and prospective terminal facilities, therefore

Be it Resolved, by the House, the Senate concurring: That this cordial invitation be accepted, awaiting their arrangements for necessary transportation facilities, and that the General Assembly stand adjourned from its adjournment hour Friday until Monday morning, following, at 11 o'clock, in order that all members may be enabled to avail themselves of this cordial and hospitable invitation.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Bowden, of Ware, and Williams, of Walton—

Amend by striking out the words and figures "August 5 and 6" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "August 12 and 13."

The following amendment to the above amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Neill, of Muscogee—

Amend amendment to original resolution by adding after "12 and 13" the following words: "Said day the 12th being declared 'die non.' "

By unanimous consent Mr. Mann, of Glynn, was allowed to add the following proviso:

“Provided, That two-thirds of the members of the House and Senate accept the invitation and agree to make said trip to Brunswick.”

The substitute by Mr. Moye, of Randolph, was lost.

The resolution was adopted as amended.

Mr. Bowden, of Ware, moved that the resolution be immediately transmitted to the Senate and the motion prevailed.

Under order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Ennis, of Baldwin, and Mixon, of Jenkins—

House Bill No. 203. A bill to appropriate \$108,916.00 for supplying deficiency for completion of Nurses' Home at State Sanitarium.

The pending motion of Mr. Shettlesworth, of Gwinnett to table the bill was lost.

Mr. Perkins, of Muscogee, moved that during the remainder of the session, unless otherwise ordered by the House, during the afternoon session individual speeches be limited to five minutes and the motion was lost.

Mr. Hawkins, of Washington, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The bill involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Anderson	Hawkins	Penland
Baldwin	Hines of Sumter	Perkins
Beckham	Horne	Phillips of Jasper
Bleckley	Houser	Pilcher
Bloodworth	Howard of Screven	Pruett
Bowden	Hullender	Ramsey
Bowen	Jackson	Reagan
Boyett	Jones of Walker	Reville
Braddy	Johnson of Bartow	Riley
Brantley	Johnson of Pickens	Robinson
Brown of Hancock	Keith	Russell
Brownlee	King of Jefferson	Sapp
Clark of Webster	King of Wilcox	Smith of Bryan
Clifton	Lankford of Toombs	Smith of Carroll
Collins	Lewis	Smith of Haralson
Cowart	Luke	Steele
Daniel of Heard	McClelland	Stone
Davis of Floyd	McClure	Strickland
DeLaPerriere	McDonald of Mitchell	Sumner of Johnson
Dixon	McGarity	Swift
DuBose	McMichael	Swindle
Duncan of Dawson	Maddox	Tatum
Ennis	Malone	Trippe
Fowler	Mann	Van Landingham
Gresham	Manning	Van Zant
Griffith	Mayo	Webb
Greene	Miles	Winship
Grovenstein	Mundy	Woodard
Hamilton	Nichols	Worthy
Hatcher of Muscogee	Owen	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Byrd of Crisp	Corbitt
Arnold	Camp	Culpepper
Bobo	Childs	Daniel of Troup
Boswell	Clark of Colquitt	DeFoor
Branch	Collier	Dickerson

Duncan of Hall	Hyman	Smith of Meriwether
Foy	Jones of Coweta	Sumner of Wheeler
Griffin	Knight	Tyson
Haddock	Langford of Hall	Vocelle
Harris	Mixon	Walker
Hatcher of Burke	Moye	Way
Henderson	Neal of Union	Whitaker of Rockdale
Herring	Parrish	Whitworth
Hines of Decatur	Patten	Williams of Miller
Hodges	Peterson	Williams of Walton
Holland	Phillips of Telfair	Wimberly
Holloway	Pickren	Wood
Houston	Salmon	Wyatt
Hunter	Smiley	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Folsom	Parks
Atkinson	Franks	Perryman
Beck	Gann	Price
Bentley	Grant	Quincey
Bird of Taliaferro	Guess	Ricketson
Blalock	Gunnels	Rutherford
Boatwright	Hillhouse	Shettlesworth
Bozeman	Howard of Forsyth	Sibley
Brannen	Hufstetler	Singletary
Brown of Emanuel	Jones of Thomas	Stovall
Bush	Johnson of	Thompson of Coweta
Carr	Chattahoochee	Thompson of Dodge
Carswell	Kennedy	Turner
Coates	Kittrell	Valentino
Davis of Oglethorpe	Logan	Wall
Dobbs	McDonald of	Watkins
Dudley	Richmond	Weston
Dykes	MacIntyre	Whitley
Evans	Mason	Whitaker of Lowndes
Ficklen	Moore of Appling	Williams of Harris
Fletcher	Moore of Fulton	Mr. Speaker

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 90, Nays 56.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Ennis, of Baldwin, gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 203.

By Mr. Perkins, of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 564. A bill to provide for electrocution of persons sentenced to death and for other purposes.

Mr. Mundy, of Polk, moved that during the remainder of this afternoon's session individual speeches be limited to five minutes and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, moved the previous question, the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking the words "at Milledgeville, Georgia," wherever they occur in said bill and inserting in lieu thereof the words "wherever located."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Arnold	Howard of Screven	Perryman
Baldwin	Hullender	Phillips of Telfair
Beckham	Jones of Coweta	Pilcher
Bleckley	Jones of Walker	Reville
Bowen	Johnson of Bartow	Riley
Braddy	Keith	Robinson
Branch	King of Jefferson	Sapp
Brantley	King of Wilcox	Smith of Carroll
Brown of Hancock	Knight	Steele
Childs	McClelland	Stone
Clark of Webster	McClure	Stovall
Clifton	McDonald of Mitchell	Strickland
Collins	McMichael	Sumner of Johnson
Culpepper	Maddox	Swift
Davis of Floyd	Mann	Thompson of Coweta
Foy	Moye	Tyson
Franks	Mundy	Van Zant
Guess	Nichols	Vocelle
Hatcher of Burke	Owen	Woodard
Hatcher of Muscogee	Parks	Wyatt
Herring	Parrish	Wynne
Hines of Sumter	Penland	
Horne	Perkins	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Duncan of Dawson	Luke
Anderson	Duncan of Hall	Patten
Beck	Ennis	Peterson
Bloodworth	Folsom	Phillips of Jasper
Bobo	Greene	Pickren
Boyett	Grovenstein	Ramsey
Brownlee	Henderson	Smiley
Byrd of Crisp	Hines of Decatur	Smith of Bryan
Carswell	Hodges	Smith of Haralson
Clark of Colquitt	Holland	Way
Collier	Hyman	Wimberly
Daniel of Heard	Langford of Hall	Wood
Daniel of Troup	Lankford of Toombs	
DeFoor	Lewis	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Gunnels	Pruett
Atkinson	Haddock	Quincey
Bentley	Hamilton	Reagan
Bird of Taliaferro	Harris	Ricketson
Blalock	Hawkins	Russell
Boatwright	Hillhouse	Rutherford
Boswell	Holloway	Salmon
Bowden	Houser	Shettlesworth
Bozeman	Houston	Sibley
Brannen	Howard of Forsyth	Singletary
Brown of Emanuel	Hufstetler	Smith of Meriwether
Bush	Hunter	Sumner of Wheeler
Camp	Jackson	Swindle
Carr	Jones of Thomas	Tatum
Coates	Johnson of	Thompson of Dodge
Corbitt	Chattahoochee	Trippe
Cowart	Johnson of Pickens	Turner
Davis of Oglethorpe	Kennedy	Valentino
DeLaPerriere	Kittrell	Van Landingham
Dickerson	Logan	Walker
Dixon	McDonald of	Wall
Dobbs	Richmond	Watkins
DuBose	McGarity	Webb
Dudley	MacIntyre	Weston
Dykes	Malone	Whitley
Evans	Manning	Whitaker of Lowndes
Ficklen	Mason	Whitaker of Rockdale
Fletcher	Mayo	Whitworth
Fowler	Miles	Williams of Harris
Gann	Mixon	Williams of Miller
Grant	Moore of Appling	Williams of Walton
Gresham	Moore of Fulton	Winship
Griffin	Neal of Union	Worthy
Griffith	Price	Mr. Speaker

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 67, Nays 40.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Perkins, of Muscogee, gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 564.

Mr. Smith, of Haralson, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

Friday, August 4th, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Emmis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hail	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettleworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the first part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consent—

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 938. A bill to repeal an act incorporating the town of Aline.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 939. A bill to require Board of Commissioners of Candler County to publish Statement.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 940. A bill to amend the constitution so as to abolish the office of Tax Receiver of Jeff Davis County.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 941. A bill to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Jeff Davis County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. Smith and Keith of Meriwether—

House Bill No. 942. A bill to amend an act relative to Confederate veterans.

Referred to Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 943. A bill to amend an act creating a Board of Commissioners for Appling County.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Mr. Cowart of Calhoun—

House Bill No. 944. A bill to change the name of the City Court of Morgan to City Court of Arlington.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Cowart of Calhoun—

House Bill No. 945. A bill to create the City of Arlington in lieu of Town of Arlington.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Bird of Taliaferro—

House Bill No. 946. A bill to require operators of Motion Picture Theaters to pay occupation tax.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 947. A bill to require all payees or holders of mortgages, etc., to pay privilege tax.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Brantley of Pierce—

House Bill No. 948. A bill to require all vendors of soft drinks to pay an occupation tax.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideraion the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 934.

GUESS of DeKalb,

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 738. Do pass.

House Bill No. 794. Do not pass.

LANKFORD of Toombs,

Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 185.

Senate Bill No. 186.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOVE of Randolph,

Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 275. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 274. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 196. Do pass.

House Bill No. 905. Do pass.

House Bill No. 936. Do pass.

House Bill No. 694. Do pass.

House Bill No. 633. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 202. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 86. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 4. Do pass as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. DAVIS of Floyd,

Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment, has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed, and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 827. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Warwick.

House Bill No. 853. A bill to amend an act amending the charter of the City of St. Mary's.

House Bill No. 849. A bill to place the Solicitor General of Macon Judicial Circuit on salary.

House Bill No. 837. A bill to repeal an act to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Taylor County, Georgia.

House Bill No. 836. A bill to create the office of County Treasurer of Taylor County, Georgia.

House Bill No. 756. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Bolton Georgia.

House Bill No. 830. A bill to amend an Act of 1920, approved August 10, 1920, abolishing Paulding Board of Commissioners by striking sections 4, 5 and 6.

House Bill No. 816. A bill to repeal an Act approved August 8, 1918 entitled "An Act to abolish the fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of the Northeastern Judicial Circuit as applied to the office of Solicitor General.

House Bill No. 638. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Pearson in Atkinson County Georgia.

House Bill No. 570. A bill to establish a County depository for the County of Campbell.

House Bill No. 773. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Americus.

House Bill No. 798. A bill to amend an amended act by substitution entitled an act creating a new charter for the City of Hazlehurst.

House Bill No. 812. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Atlanta.

House Bill No. 818. A bill to consolidate and amend the charter of Americus.

House Bill No. 820. A bill to create a new charter for the City of Vidalia.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Williams of Miller and Walker of Baker—

House Bill No. 633. A bill to amend an act to license the business of making loans in the State.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 694. A bill to amend an Act to fix the fees of coroners, etc., in this State.

By Messrs. Kittrell of Laurens and McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 738. A bill to amend the constitution relative to State Owned Terminals in Georgia.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 905. A bill to require reports of all State Officials yearly.

By Mr. Stovall of McDuffie—

House Bill No. 934. A bill to amend an Act to fix the salary of the Solicitor General of Augusta Judicial Circuit.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 936. A bill to allow officials of corporated Cities to elect Mayor and Recorder pro. tems, and for other purposes.

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 4. A bill to allow absent voters to vote in elections.

By Messrs. Weaver of the 11th, and Akin of the 4th—

Senate Bill No. 86. A bill to permit corporations now incorporated by Secretary of State to issue non par stock.

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 185. A bill to create the office of Supervisor of Public Roads for Wayne County.

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 186. A bill to abolish the County commissioners of Wayne County.

By Mr. Golucke of the 19th—

Senate Bill No. 202. A bill to amend Section 4381

of Code of 1910, relative to period of limitation of actions.

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 275. A bill to amend an act establishing system of public schools for City of Albany.

By Mr. Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 927. A bill to amend an act to amend the charter of the City of Madison.

By Messrs. Horne and Thompson of Dodge—

House Bill No. 933. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Eastman.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Bill No. 912. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the town of Rockledge.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway, and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 823. A bill to fix compensation for bailiffs in certain Counties.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 156, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 915. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the City of Darian.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Hunter, and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 857. A bill to amend the charter of Savannah.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding Section 5 (a) as follows: "Be it further enacted that Section 5 of this Act shall not go into effect unless same is ratified by a majority of the qualified voters of the City of Savannah, who shall vote at the next General Election to be held on the first Tuesday in November 1922, at which election the authorities of the City of Savannah shall make necessary arrangements to submit this issue to the voters."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Messrs. Hyman and Hawkins of Washington—

House Bill No. 914. A bill to authorize Mayor and Council of City of Sandersville to levy and collect certain taxes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Reville and Pilcher of Richmond—

House Bill No. 863. A bill to amend Code of 1910 relative to official organ of certain Counties.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Quincey of Coffee—

House Bill No. 911. A bill to amend the Charter of Nicholls.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 835. A bill to repeal the present Charter of City of Cordele and to provide for a new charter for the City of Cordele.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 906. A bill to amend the Charter of City of Washington.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Campbell of 34th—

Senate Bill No. 242. A bill to amend the Charter of City of Covington.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Taylor of 46th—

Senate Bill No. 161. A bill to repeal an Act to establish the City Court of Alma.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 276. A bill to change time of holding Superior Court of Barrow County.

Referred to Special Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Boykin of 39th—

Senate Bill No. 283. A bill to amend charter of Lincolnton.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 286. A bill to amend an Act to carry into effect provisions of an Act relating to abolition of Justice Court.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

By Messrs. Thorpe of 2nd, Thomas of 3rd, and Jackson of 21st—

Senate Bill No. 288. A bill to incorporate the Town of Townsend in McIntosh County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By unanimous consent, granted to Mr. Williams of Walton, House Bill No. 878 was recommitted.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 869 was withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means and recommitted to the Committee on County and County Matters.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 244 was taken from the table and placed upon the calendar.

The following resolution of the House was read:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 214. A Resolution providing that the House remain in session on this day until 2 o'clock P. M. and when it adjourn it stand adjourned until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Vocelle of Camden moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Perkins of Muscogee moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 564 and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Ennis of Baldwin moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 203 and the motion prevailed.

Under the order of unfinished business the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 205. A bill to amend the Constitution relative to the levying of an income tax.

The pending motion, of Mr. Henderson of White, for the previous question was lost.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved that further consideration of this bill be postponed until next Tuesday morning immediately following the confirmation of the Journal, and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 449 was set as a special order to immediately follow House Bill No. 205.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of the substitute and amendments to House Bill No. 205 and 300 copies of House Bill No. 449 were ordered printed for the use of the House and Senate.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Jones of Coweta—

A RESOLUTION.

House Resolution No. 215. Whereas, just seventy-one years ago to-day in the good old land of Wilkes a baby boy first opened his blue eyes upon the glad light of day; and

Whereas that baby boy has since grown into the Honorable Boyce Ficklen of Wilkes, an esteemed and able member of this House,

Resolved that we assure Hon. Boyce Ficklen of our love and esteem, that we congratulate him upon his good health and years, and wish him many happy returns.

Under orders of the day the following bill of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Brantley of Pierce—

House Bill No. 260. A bill to change the name of Railroad Commission of Georgia to the Georgia Public Service Commission and for other purposes.

Mr. Hatcher of Muscogee moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to change the name of the Railroad Commission of Georgia to the Georgia Public Service Commission; to revise, enlarge and define the duties and powers of, what shall, after the passage of this Act be known as the Georgia Public Service Commission; to extend its powers and jurisdiction over sleeping car companies; to provide for a public prosecutor to represent the public in all matters before the Commission, to fix his salary, define his duties and provide for his

appointment by the Governor; to provide a license fee to be collected from all public utilities companies for the maintenance of said Commission; to give said Commission authority to employ such experts, attorneys, clerks, statisticians, engineers, secretary and such other help, as in the opinion of the Commission may be necessary and to fix the compensation of each; to provide rules of procedure, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that from and after the passage and approval of this Act the name of the Railroad Commission shall be, and the same is hereby changed to that of the Georgia Public Service Commission; that all of the authority, rights, powers, duties, privileges and jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission of Georgia are hereby expressly conferred upon the Georgia Public Service Commission as full as if so named in any laws of this State; that all actions and proceedings now or hereafter pending in the name of the Railroad Commission shall survive; and be continued and prosecuted by and in the name of Georgia Public Service Commission; and that no rights, privileges, immunities or appropriations granted to or made in behalf of the Railroad Commission of Georgia shall merge, lapse, or be lost by reason of such change of name, but shall be conferred, transferred and imposed upon the Georgia Public Service Commission.

Section 2. The Commission shall have power to

employ, during its pleasure, such officers, experts, attorneys, engineers, statisticians, accountants, inspectors, clerks and employees as it may deem necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act, or to perform the duties and exercise the powers conferred by law upon the Commission. The compensation of such officials and all other employees shall be fixed by the Commission at such sum as it shall deem reasonable and proper.

Section 3. There shall be assigned to the work of the Commission an Assistant Attorney General, to be known as a Public Prosecutor, whose sole and exclusive duties shall be that of representing the public, or assisting in representing the public, as and when such representation is desired by the public in particular cases, in all matters heard before the Commission, in which the public has an interest. Such Assistant Attorney General shall be appointed by the Governor, for a period not less than six years; shall be paid out of the funds provided for the maintenance of the Commission a salary of three thousand dollars per annum and all legitimate traveling expenses incurred in the proper discharge of his duties, and shall be provided by the State with proper and suitable working offices. The qualifications for the Assistant Attorney General provided under this section shall be based upon experience in the line of work to be performed.

Before any order shall be issued by the Commission affecting the public, or the public service companies, contemplating either an increase or decrease

in rates, not less than 15 days' notice shall be given to all interested parties and full opportunity afforded of being heard with regard to such proposed change on the part of the Commission. Copies of all complaints and petitions respecting the work of the Special Attorney General, together with copies of all notices, as to hearings, shall be furnished to the Special Attorney General by the said Commission promptly.

Section 4. That the Commission shall prescribe the rules of procedure and for taking of evidence in all matters that may come before it. In the investigations, preparations and hearings of cases, the Commission shall not be bound by the strict technical rules of pleading and evidence, but it may exercise such discretion as will facilitate its efforts to ascertain the facts bearing the right and justice of the matters before it. In all formal cases heard and determined, the Commission shall render an opinion, setting out the issues involved in the case, and its decision, ruling and finding thereupon.

Section 5. A full and complete record shall be kept of all proceedings had before the Commission, on any formal investigation had and all testimony shall be taken down by the official reporter appointed by the Commission.

Section 6. The Commission, or any party, may, in any investigation, cause the depositions of witnesses residing within or without the State to be taken in the manner prescribed by law, for like depositions in civil actions in civil courts.

Section 7. The powers, duties and jurisdiction heretofore conferred upon the Railroad Commission of Georgia are hereby extended to sleeping car companies and to persons, companies or associations operating sleeping cars; to companies or persons operating vehicles as common carriers in the transportation of freight and passengers.

Section 8. There shall be paid by all public service corporations or utilities, subject to the provisions of this Act, a special license fee in addition to those now required by law. Such fee shall be fixed by the Comptroller General of Georgia upon each of such public service corporations or utilities, according to the value of its property, as ascertained by the last preceding State Tax Assessment, and shall be apportioned among such public service corporations or utilities, upon the basis of such valuation, so as to produce a revenue of seventy thousand (\$70,000.00) dollars per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, which shall be paid on or before the 20th day of January in each year. The Comptroller General shall notify each public service corporation or utility of the State of the amount due by it under the provisions of this Act, and said license fee shall be paid to the State Treasurer on or before the 20th day of January as above provided; such sum of seventy thousand (\$70,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated and set aside for the purpose of paying the salaries, compensations, costs and expenses of the Public Service Commission, its members and employees,

and the Special Attorney General above provided, and no other sum shall be appropriated therefor.

In case of default in payment by any public service corporation, company or person of such fee as provided in this section, the Comptroller General shall proceed to collect the same, in the same manner as franchise taxes are now collected.

Section 9. The annual salary of each Commissioner shall be as at present provided by law. All officers, experts, engineers, statisticians, accountants, inspectors, clerks and employees of the Commission shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by the Commission; and the salaries as fixed by the Commission for the officers, experts, engineers, statisticians, accountants, inspectors, clerks and other employees and as fixed by this Act for Commissioners, shall be paid monthly from the funds provided for the use of the Commission, after being approved by the Commission.

All the expenses incurred by the Commission pursuant to the provisions of this Act, including the actual and necessary traveling and other expenses and disbursements of the Commission, their officers and employees incurred while on business of the Commission shall be paid from the funds provided for the use of the Commission, after being approved by the Commission.

Section 10. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed. If any action, sub-section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Act is

for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Act.

The following amendments to the substitute were read and adopted:

Committee amends as follows:

1. By striking from the caption and elsewhere in the bill the word "license" wherever the same occurs before the word "fee," wherever the said word may occur.

2. By striking from the caption in the fifth and sixth lines thereof the following: "to extend its powers and jurisdiction over sleeping car companies."

3. By adding at the end of Section 3 the following words:

"Provided that nothing in this section shall be construed as requiring the Public Utility Counsel to appear in hearings or controversies between private individuals and corporations, or private individuals or corporations, or in any case, hearing, or controversy unless the public at large in one or more communities is affected or concerned."

By adding the following at the end of Section 4: "The Public Service Commission shall conduct hearings and investigations in different parts of the State, when, in the opinion of the Commission, such hearings will best serve the interest and convenience of the public."

By striking all of Section 7 of said bill.

By Mr. Wyatt of Troup—

Amend by adding thereto a new section to read as follows: “Beginning with the expiration of the present term of office of Hon. J. A. Perry and Hon. C. M. Candler the membership of the Commission shall be reduced to three members.”

By Mr. Wyatt of Troup, Moye of Randolph, and Hillhouse of Worth—

Amend by adding thereto in Section 3 to read as follows:

“Provided, however, that there shall be no attorney for the Commission except the attorney herein provided for to represent the public. The present duties of the attorney to the Railroad Commission and the duties of the attorney provided for to represent the public shall be performed by one man.”

Mr. Hatcher of Muscogee moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute as amended, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Speaker ordered the roll call and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Grovenstein	Patten
Anderson	Gunnels	Penland
Arnold	Haddock	Perryman
Beck	Hamilton	Peterson
Béckham	Hatcher of Burke	Phillips of Jasper
Blalock	Henderson	Phillips of Telfair
Bloodworth	Herring	Pickren
Bobo	Hillhouse	Pruett
Bowen	Hines of Decatur	Ramsey
Boyett	Hines of Sumter	Riley
Bozeman	Holland	Russell
Braddy	Horne	Rutherford
Brantley	Houser	Sibley
Brownlee	Howard of Forsyth	Singletary
Carswell	Howard of Screven	Smiley
Childs	Hunter	Smith of Bryan
Clark of Colquitt	Hyman	Smith of Haralson
Clark of Webster	Jackson	Smith of Meriwether
Collier	Jones of Coweta	Strickland
Collins	Jones of Thomas	Sumner of Johnson
Corbitt	Jones of Walker	Sumner of Wheeler
Culpepper	Keith	Swift
Daniel of Heard	King of Jefferson	Thompson of Coweta
Daniel of Troup	King of Wilcox	Van Zant
Dickerson	Knight	Vocelle
DuBose	Lankford of Toombs	Walker
Ennis	McDonald of Mitchell	Webb
Evans	MacIntyre	Whitaker of Rockdale
Ficklen	McMichael	Williams of Harris
Folsom	Mann	Williams of Miller
Foy	Manning	Woodard
Franks	Moye	Worthy
Gresham	Neal of Union	Wyatt
Griffin	Nichols	Wynne
Griffith	Parks	
Greene	Parrish	

Those voting in the Negative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Boswell	Camp
Baldwin	Branch	Davis of Floyd
Bentley	Brannen	DeFoor
Bird of Taliaferro	Brown of Hancock	Dixon

Dobbs	McClelland	Sapp
Duncan of Hall	McClure	Shettlesworth
Fowler	Maddox	Steele
Gann	Mason	Stovall
Guess	Mayo	Tatum
Harris	Miles	Trippe
Hatcher of Muscogee	Moore of Fulton	Turner
Hawkins	Mundy	Tyson
Holloway	Owen	Valentino
Houston	Perkins	Watkins
Hullender	Pilcher	Way
Johnson of Pickens	Reagan	Whitley
Kittrell	Reville	Williams of Walton
Langford of Hall	Ricketson	Wimberly
Lewis	Robinson	
Luke	Salmon	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Atkinson	Dykes	Moore of Appling
Bleckley	Fletcher	Price
Boatwright	Grant	Quincey
Bowden	Hodges	Smith of Carroll
Brown of Emanuel	Hufstetler	Stone
Bush	Johnson of Bartow	Swindle
Byrd of Crisp	Johnson of	Thompson of Dodge
Carr	Chattahoochee	Van Landingham
Clifton	Kennedy	Wall
Coates	Logan	Weston
Cowart	McDonald of	Whitaker of Lowndes
Davis of Oglethorpe	Richmond	Whitworth
DeLaPerriere	McGarity	Winship
Dudley	Malone	Wood
Duncan of Dawson	Mixon	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 106, Nays 58.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106,
Nays 58.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority, was passed by substitute as amended.

Mr. Williams of Walton gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 205.

Mr. Beckham of Dougherty moved that the bill just passed be immediately transmitted to the Senate, and the motion prevailed.

The following message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. McCurry:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to deliver to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

To the General Assembly of Georgia:

I respectfully desire to call your attention to the situation existing in some of the counties in Southern Georgia with regard to the work of tick eradication.

I am constantly receiving letters from citizens in that section, complaining of the situation and asking

for some relief. It appears that they have a problem to deal with in that section that is different from what it is in other sections of the State, and much more difficult. It seems that in some of these counties there is very little land being cultivated and that cattle are allowed to roam at will through vast open ranges. Under these conditions, it is very difficult for the citizens to gather these cattle together for the purpose of dipping, and in some sections practically amounts to the confiscation of the cattle.

It is most unfortunate that regrettable instances of lawlessness and disorder and open and violent resistance to the laws of the State have occurred in some of these counties, and I am constrained to believe that a vast majority of the people in these counties are law-abiding citizens of Georgia and deeply regret and deplore these occurrences. Resolutions to that effect, adopted by representative mass meetings of responsible citizens have been presented to me, and I am informed that all resistance to the law has ceased; certainly that such of it as occasionally manifests itself is not supported by public sentiment and is condemned by the law-abiding citizens of the territory concerned.

Under these circumstances, I feel that I ought to say that it should not be the purpose and intent of the laws of this State to work any undue hardship upon any of its citizens, and that local conditions sometimes make it necessary to so amend the law that it can be applied to the whole State, with wisdom and with justice, and I urge that you investigate

this subject carefully and seek some remedy which will relieve the unfortunate situation existing in some of these counties.

The laws of Georgia must be enforced and upheld, but they must be made with intelligence and framed so as not to work unnecessary hardship upon the people, and their enforcement is rendered much easier whenever they are so framed. Consequently, I urge upon the General Assembly prompt consideration of this question, with the view of making such changes in the law as may be necessary, in the interest of the people as a whole, so as not to work undue and unnecessary hardship upon any locality.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

Governor.

This August 4, 1922.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 592 was set as a special order on next Tuesday to immediately follow House Bill No. 449.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of House Bill No. 592 were ordered printed for the use of the House and Senate.

By unanimous consent the House took under consideration at this time the calendar set for yesterday afternoon's session.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb moved that House Resolu-

tion No. 203 be taken from the table, and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House taken from the table was taken up for immediate consideration, read the third time, and placed upon its passage:

By Messrs. Guess of DeKalb and Davis of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 203. A resolution to create a commission to regulate the distribution of coal within this State, and for other purposes.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Davis of Floyd—

Amend by substituting the name “Railroad Commission” in said resolution where the words “a commission of 5 men” appears.

Amend further by striking the last paragraph beginning with the word “That” and ending with the word “Georgia.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 105, Nays 6.

The resolution having received the requisite Constitutional majority, was passed as amended.

The following bill of the House, set as a special order for yesterday afternoon’s session by the Com-

mittee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 754. A bill to amend Code of 1910 relative to capital stock of trust companies, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 89, Nays 18.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority, was lost.

Mr. Moore of Fulton gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 754.

Mr. Valentino of Chatham moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

Monday, August 7th, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Emmis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singleton	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 943. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Appling County.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 831 was re-committed to the Committee on Counties and County Matters.

Mr. Lewis of Colquitt gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House instruct the Committee on General Agriculture No. 1 to report House Resolution No. 135 back to the House.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 216. A resolution authorizing the Secretary of State to correct an error in certain local bill for Dougherty County.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remaining part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.

3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.

4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and general House and Senate bills having a local application.

5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Daniel of Heard—

House Bill No. 949. A bill to establish a Normal and Industrial College in Franklin, Heard County.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia.

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 950. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act incorporating the city of Blue Ridge, Ga.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 951. A bill to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Wilkes County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Brown of Hancock—

House Bill No. 952. A bill to appropriate \$5,000.00 to Tenth District A. & M. School.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Bentley and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 953. A bill to amend an Act to regulate the sale of stocks of goods, wares and merchandise in bulk.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland and Steele of DeKalb

House Bill No. 954. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the town of Decatur.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 955. A bill to change the name of the Town of Decatur to the City of Decatur.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Hunter, Atkinson and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 956. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Tybee, Chatham County.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Messrs. Guess of DeKalb and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 957. A bill to amend Section 1 of Code of Georgia, relative to boundary line of the State.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Whitaker of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 958. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Valdosta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Ragan of Henry—

House Bill No. 959. A bill to establish a new charter for the Town of Locus Grove, Henry County.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 924.

House Bill No. 930.

Senate Bill No. 288.

Senate Bill No. 283.

PICKREN, of Charlton, Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 924. A bill to repeal an Act amending the charter of the city of Cordele.

By Messrs. Clarke and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 930. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Doerun, Colquitt County.

By Mr. Boykin of the 29th—

Senate Bill No. 283. A bill to amend the charter of the town of Lincolnton.

By Messrs. Thorpe of the 2nd; Thomas of the 3rd;
and Jackson of the 21st—

Senate Bill No. 288. A bill to incorporate the Town of Townsend, in McIntosh County.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Stovall of McDuffie—

House Bill No. 934. A bill to amend an Act fixing salary of Solicitor General.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Horne and Thompson of Dodge—

House Bill No. 933. A bill to amend an Act to create a new charter for the City of Eastman.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered to be immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Baldwin of Morgan—

House Bill No. 927. A bill to amend an Act to amend an Act to amend the new charter for the City of Madison.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 123, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bills to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 280. A bill relative to time in which defendants may demand indictments in the City Court of Blakely.

Senate Bill No. 278. A bill relating to the Board of Roads and Revenues of Early County.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills to-wit:

House Bill No. 785. A bill to amend an Act giving the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of certain counties certain powers.

House Bill No. 746. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Jenkins County.

House Bill No. 817. A bill to amend an Act to abolish the Board of Roads and Revenues and create the Board of Commissioners for Walker County.

House Bill No. 799. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Bowden.

House Bill No. 826. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the city of Arabi.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate and House Resolutions to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 86. A resolution to release certain bondsmen of one W. K. Brooks.

House Resolution No. 213. A resolution accepting the invitation of the City of Brunswick to inspect their City and prospective terminals facilities.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bill, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 270. A bill to amend Sec. 755 of Volume 1 of Code of Georgia of 1910.

Mr. Moore of Fulton moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 745 and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Resolution No. 217. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Mr. Wm. G. Sutlive.

Under orders of the day, the following bills of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Com-

mittee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. DuBose of Clarke—

House Bill No. 561. A bill to amend an Act to create a department of Insurance.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered to be immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Horne of Dodge and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 745. A bill to amend several Acts for creation, maintainance, etc. of the Confederate Soldiers Home, so as to provide that State President of Daughters of the Confederacy shall be member of Board of Trustees, and for other purposes:

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Horne of Dodge—

Amend by adding thereto the following: "Provided, That the President of each Atlanta Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy be made ex-officio members of the Board of Trustees of the Confederate Soldiers Home."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Bill No. 630. A bill to provide for the change of venue in investigation by Grand Juries when no qualified Grand Jury can be found in the county where crime was committed, and for other purposes.

The following committee amendments were read and adopted:

Amend by striking Sections 4 and 5 and substituting the following instead: "Section 4. Be it further enacted that the Grand Jury Box shall be exhausted in trying to secure a qualified jury before a transfer of the investigation can be made, provided the accused does not consent to a transfer."

"Section 5. Be it further enacted that the Solicitor-General and the Counsel for the accused shall agree upon the county to which the transfer shall be made, but in the event they cannot agree then it shall be the duty of the presiding Judge to name the county to which the transfer of the investigation shall be made."

Amend Section 6 by adding the following at the

end of said Section: "Provided that no change of venue shall be had for the trial of the accused except as now provided by law, unless by consent of the accused."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Hufstetler of Murray, Owen of Gordon, and others—

House Bill No. 805. A bill to prohibit taking of fish from any of the streams of this State with seine, net, gig, or spear, etc., and for other purposes.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Sapp of Whitfield.

Amend by adding to the sixth line of said bill and immediately following the word "effective," at the conclusion of said Section 2, the following words to-wit:

"Provided, that nothing in this Act shall be so construed as to affect any county in the State of Georgia having a population of less than 16,897, or more

than 16,898 or 17,736, or more than 17,737; or 6,677, or more than 6,678; or 9,490, or more than 9,491; or 23,370, or more than 23,371; respectively as shown by the Federal Census for the year 1920.”

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. McClure of Walker—

Amend the committee amendment by striking the words, “as shown by the Federal Census for the year 1920” and inserting in lieu thereof the words, “according to the last available Federal Census.”

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

Amend by inserting the words, “that this law shall not apply to Commercial Fishing or private owned lakes in this state.”

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

Amend the amendment by Mr. Sapp, of Whitfield, by adding “or 20,351 or more than 20,359” after the words “the year 1920” in last line of said amendment by Mr. Sapp of Whitfield.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 15.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 145. A bill making it optional with persons in this State, who have been convicted of a crime, to begin the service of the sentence imposed, under certain circumstances.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. DuBose, of Clarke and Culpepper of Fayette—

House Bill No. 832. A bill to amend an Act providing for collection of tax on distribution of fuel oils and for other purposes.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Culpepper of Fayette—

Amend by striking from line 17 and 18 of Section 1, the words "Provided this Act shall not be construed so that said tax shall be collected more than once," and substituting in lieu thereof the follow-

ing: "Provided this Act shall not be so construed so as to cause double taxation on any of the products specified in said Act approved Aug. 10, 1915, except where such products are shipped out of and back into this State for distribution."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 112, Nays 3.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Hutchens of 38th—

Senate Bill No. 253. A bill to amend an Act to protect fur bearing animals of the State, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Williams of Harris—

Amend by striking out the words and figures "Aug. 1st," wherever they appear and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Sept. 1st."

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

Amend by adding a section appropriately numbered to read as follows:

“After the passage of this Act it shall be lawful for parties to have in possession at any time of year the live animals above mentioned when the purpose of such possession is to raise such animals and distribute same so as to increase the supply of game.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 13.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Nix of 51st—

Senate Bill No. 176. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department of Georgia.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Campbell of 34th and Mason of 35th—

House Bill No. 230. A bill authorizing Legislature to add one or more additional Judges of the Superior Court for the Stone Mountain Circuit.

The main question was ordered.

Mr. Moore, of Fulton, moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question and the motion was lost.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

Mr. McClelland of DeKalb gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in disagreeing to the favorable report of the committee on Senate Bill No. 230.

Mr. Wimberly of Laurens moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION

3 o'clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Gunnels of Franklin—

House Bill No. 960. A bill to amend an Act fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Franklin County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Hillhouse of Worth—

House Bill No. 961. A bill to provide for disposing of strictly local, county and municipal matters by the Judges of the Superior Courts of the various counties.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to Constitution.

By Mr. Hillhouse of Worth—

House Bill No. 962. A bill to provide for change in number and apportionment of the House of Representatives and Senate.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to Constitution.

By Mr. Wood of Twiggs—

House Bill No. 963. A bill to establish a new charter for the town of Danville, and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 964. A bill to enable counties to provide for county agents and home economics.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute:

House Bill No. 862.

MOORE of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 895.

House Bill No. 938.

House Bill No. 954.

House Bill No. 955.

House Bill No. 956.

House Bill No. 958.

House Bill No. 959.

House Bill No. 963.

SMITH of Meriwether, Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters, have had under consideration the following bills of the House, and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 917.

House Bill No. 919.

House Bill No. 937.

House Bill No. 939.

House Bill No. 935.

House Bill No. 869.

House Bill No. 941.

Respectfully submitted,

MOYE of Randolph, Chairman.

Mr. C. H. Kittrell, of Laurens County, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture No. 1 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Agriculture No. 1 have had under consideration the following bills and resolutions of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 759. Do pass by substitute as amended.

House Resolution No. 157. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 135. Do not pass.

C. H. KITTRELL, of Laurens, Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following Report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts, to-wit:

House Bill No. 746. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Jenkins.

H. B. No. 817. A bill to amend an act abolishing the Board of Roads and Revenues and creating the Board of Commissioners for the county of Walker.

House Bill No. 785. A bill to amend an Act to give the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues or

the Ordinary of Judge certain powers and authority in certain counties.

H. B. No. 799. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Bowden.

House Bill No. 826. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the town of Arabi.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER, of Catoosa, Chairman.

Mr. McMichael of Marion County, Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 2 has had under consideration House Bill No. 925 and instruct me as its Chairman to report that the same "do pass" as amended.

McMICHAEL, of Marion, Chairman.

The following bills and resolutions of the House, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Wall of Putnam—

House Resolution No. 157. A resolution providing for investigation relative to manufacture of calcium arsenate.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 759. A bill to prohibit the growing of cotton in the state of Georgia for 1924.

By Mr. Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 869. A bill to amend sections 696 and 697 of Code of 1910, relative to opening of public roads.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 895. A bill to amend the charter of the City of East Point.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 917. A bill to create a board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Wilcox County.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 919. A bill to repeal an Act creating Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Wilcox County.

By Messrs. McMichael of Marion and Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 925. A bill to provide for distribution of motor vehicle tax in this state.

By Mr. Corbitt of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 935. A bill to amend the act creating the Board of Commissioners for Atkinson county.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 937. A bill to amend Section 695 of Park's Code, relative to those subject to road duty.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 938. A bill to repeal an Act to incorporate the Town of Aline, in Emanuel County.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 939.—A bill to require the Board of Commissioners of Candler County to publish quarterly itemized statements.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 941. A bill to create the office of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jeff Davis County.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 862. A bill to provide for the teaching of the constitution of the United States in the public schools of the State.

The following bill and resolution of the Senate

were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Williams of 45th—

Senate Resolution No. 86. A resolution to relieve certain bondsmen of one W. K. Brooks.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Williams of 45th—

Senate Bill No. 270. A bill amending Code of 1910 relative to ferries and roads approaching thereto.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 883. A bill to tax gypsy horse traders.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 121, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Rutherford of Monroe—

House Bill No. 583. A bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a school of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts in this State, and for other purposes.

Mr. Hawkins of Washington moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

Amend by adding to Section 4 the following: "Provided that no funds shall be asked of the State for the support of said school."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 35.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 726. A bill to amend Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act by providing a method of calculating the wages received and for other purposes.

Mr. Valentino of Chatham moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On' the passage of the bill the Ayes were 122, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 680. A bill to amend Georgia Workman's Compensation Act so as to provide a salary for certain officers, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 2.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

H. B. No. 677. A bill to provide that an officer authorized by law to attest the execution of deeds, loan deeds, mortgages, etc., shall not be disqualified to attest such writings, where such writings are executed by or to a corporation in which such officer is a stockholder, and for other purposes.

Mr. Mundy, of Polk, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion was lost.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Resolution No. 200. A resolution providing for a school building site on the State Farm and authorizing the Prison Commission to convey certain land for said purpose.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 110, Nays 1.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 300. A bill to amend an Act creating the office of State Veterinarian.

Mr. Smith of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, moved that the bill be immediately transmitted to the Senate and the motion prevailed.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Tuesday, August 8th, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 25 was taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar.

By unanimous consent the following Bill of the House was withdrawn from the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. Stone, of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 940. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to abolish the office of Tax Receiver of Jeff Davis County.

By unanimous consent 300 copies of House Bill No. 925 and all amendments were ordered printed for the use of the House and Senate.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the remain-

ing part of the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate Bills and Resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate Bills and uncontested general House and Senate Bills having local application.
5. First reading of Senate Bills and Resolutions.

The following Resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Holland, of Tattnall—

House Resolution No. 219. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Mr. W. H. Purcell.

By unanimous consent, the following Bills of the House were introduced, read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Van Zant, of Fannin—

House Bill No. 965. A bill to amend an act and amendatory acts incorporating the Town of McCaysville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Gunnells, of Franklin, and Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 966. A bill to amend an Act establishing a public school system for the Town of Canon.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Boyett, of Stewart—

House Bill No. 967. A bill to create a new Charter for the City of Richland.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland and Steele, of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 968. A bill to establish the City Court of Decatur.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Gunnells, of Franklin, and Mason, of Hart—

House Bill No. 969. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Canon in Franklin and Hart Counties.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Van Landingham, of Seminole:

House Bill No. 970. A bill to amend the Charter of the Town of Donalsonville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Langford of Hall and Duncan, of Hall—

House Bill No. 971. A bill to regulate the running of automobiles and the use of cut-outs in this State.

Referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Clifton of Lee—

House Bill No. 972. A bill to amend an act to create a Board of Commissioners for Lee County.

Referred to Committee on County and County Matters.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 973. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Town of Cooledge, in Thomas County.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Boswell of Greene—

House Bill No. 974. A bill to repeal an Act to prohibit employes of Hotels, etc., receiving tips.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture No. 2.

Mr. Moore, of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 928.

MOORE of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Pickren, of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 950.

PICKREN of Charlton, Chairman.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following Bills

and Resolutions of the House and Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 960.

House Bill No. 851.

Senate Resolution No. 86.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. Walter R. McDonald, of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 932.

House Bill No. 929.

House Bill No. 918.

House Bill No. 908.

Senate Bill No. 263.

Senate Bill No. 197.

Senate Bill No. 276.

McDONALD of Richmond, Chairman.

Mr. Turner, of Brooks County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Highways submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Highways have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 889. Do not pass.

MR. TURNER of Brooks, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill 841. A bill to abolish City Court of Lyons.

House Bill No. 854. A bill to amend Act creating City Court of Sandersville.

House Bill No. 474. A bill to amend Act establishing a Normal and Industrial College at Milledgeville.

House Bill No. 779. A bill to change time of holding Superior Court in Stephens County.

House Bill No. 801. A bill to make Collins, Ga., a State Depository.

House Bill No. 840. A bill to abolish City Court of Banks County.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate.

Senate Bill No. 226. To substitute a Board of Control for Boards of Trustees of University of Georgia.

The Senate concurred in the House amendment to the following Senate Bill:

Senate Bill No. 161. A bill to repeal Act establishing City Court of Alma, Ga.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Davis of the 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 197. A bill to amend an Act placing the Solicitor-General of Cherokee Circuit on salary.

By Mr. Peacock, of the 48th—

Senate Bill No. 263. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Eastman.

By Mr. Johns of the 27th—

Senate Bill No. 276. A bill to change the time of holding the June term of Superior Court of Barrow County.

By Mr. Williams of the 45th—

Senate Resolution No. 86. A resolution to relieve certain bondsmen of Mr. W. K. Brooks.

By Mr. Weston of Brooks—

House Bill No. 908. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Quitman.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 918. A bill to change the terms of Wilcox Superior Court.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 928. A bill to amend an Act establishing system of public schools for Hazelhurst.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 929. A bill to fix the terms of the Superior Court of Jeff Davis County.

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Bill No. 932 A bill to repeal an Act creating the City Court of Cleveland.

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 950. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Blue Ridge, Georgia.

By Mr. Gunnells of Franklin—

House Bill No. 960. A bill to amend an Act fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Franklin County.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland and Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 954. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

By Mr. Whitaker of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 958. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Valdosta.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 851. A bill to authorize counties of certain populations to maintain fire houses for the protection of property.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 955. A bill to change the name of the Town of Decatur to the City of Decatur.

By Messrs. Hunter, Atkinson and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 956. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Tybee.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 959. A bill to establish a new charter for the Town of Locus Grove, Henry County.

By Mr. Wood of Twiggs—

House Bill No. 963. A bill to establish a new charter for the Town of Danville, and for other purposes.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Thorpe of 2nd, Thomas of 3rd, and Jackson of 21st—

House Bill No. 288. A bill to incorporate the Town of Townsend.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 178. A bill to authorize the authorities of the various counties of this State to

prescribe by order the time and period of the fiscal year in regard to taxes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Boykin of 29th—

Senate Bill No. 283. A bill to amend charter of Lincolnton.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 895. A bill to amend charter of East Point.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 917. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in and for the County of Wilcox.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 919. A bill to repeal an Act creating Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Wilcox County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 941. A bill to create the office of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues of the County of Jeff Davis.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Byrd of Crisp—

House Bill No. 924. A bill to repeal an Act amending the charter of the City of Cordele.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Clark and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 930. A bill to amend, revise, consolidate, etc., the several Acts incorporating the Town of Doerun.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Corbitt of Atkinson—

House Bill No. 935. A bill to amend the Act creating the Board of Commissioners for Atkinson

County and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 113, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 938. A bill to repeal an Act to incorporate the Town of Aline.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Beck of Carroll—

House Bill No. 937. A bill to amend Code of 1910 relative to those subject to road duty in counties of certain population.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 2.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Miles of Candler—

House Bill No. 939. A bill to require the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Candler County to publish certain statements.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bills, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 291. A bill to repeal an Act creating a Board of Roads and Revenues for Houston County.

Senate Bill No. 216. A bill to amend the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

Senate Bill No. 294. A bill to create a Board of County Commissioners for Houston County.

Senate Bill No. 277. A bill to amend the Code of 1910 so as to provide for selections of State depositories by the Governor in certain cities.

Senate Bill No. 209. A bill to repeal an Act abolishing the fee system in the Southern Judicial Circuit.

Senate Bill No. 262. A bill to provide further regulation with regard to practise and procedure in the courts of this State.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Resolutions, to-wit:

A resolution relative to appointing a Committee of the House and Senate to ascertain some plan for aiding Confederate Soldiers.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 968 was withdrawn from the Committee on Special Judiciary and recommitted to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. McClelland of DeKalb moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to agree to the favorable report of the Committee on Senate Bill No. 230.

Mr. McClelland of DeKalb moved that action on this motion be postponed until next Tuesday morning under the head of "Motions to Reconsider" and the motion was lost.

The motion to reconsider Senate Bill No. 230 was lost.

Under orders of the day, the following bill of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 205. A bill to amend the Constitution relative to the levy and collection of an Income Tax.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved the previous question on the bill, substitutes, and amendments; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question and the motion was lost.

The following substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act to propose an amendment to Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia Which Will Change the State Tax Rate from Five Mills to Four Mills, as the Same Is Fixed in Paragraph 2, Section 1, Article 7 of the Constitution; and to Provide in Paragraph 1, Section 2, Article 7 for Income, Inheritance, Privilege and Occupational

Taxes; to Provide for Submission of the Proposed Amendment to the Legal Voters of the State, and for Other Purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, that Par. 2, Sec. 1, Art. 7 of the Constitution of said State be amended by striking therefrom the word "five" where the same appears in the fourth line of said paragraph as it is now published in Sec. 6552 of the Civil Code of Georgia, and substituting therefor word "four," so that said paragraph when amended will read:

"The levy of taxes on property for any one year by the General Assembly for all purposes, except to provide for repelling invasion, suppressing insurrection, or defending the State in time of war, shall not exceed four mills on each dollar of the value of the property taxable in the State."

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that said Article be further amended by striking all of Paragraph 1, Section 2, Article 7, and substituting therefor the following language:

"All taxation shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects and when ad valorem, assessed on all the property subject to be taxed by that method within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws and for the purposes authorized by the Constitution.

"The General Assembly may impose taxes upon

incomes, inheritances, privileges and occupations. which taxes may be graduated, and the laws under which they are levied may contain provision for reasonable exemptions; provided that when an income tax is imposed the same shall not exceed three per centum of the net income to be taxed as the same may be defined by statute”

Section 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that when said amendment shall be entered upon the Journal of each House with the “yeas” and “nays” thereon and published in one or more newspapers in each Congressional District in said State for two months previous to the time for holding the next General Election, and shall, at the next General Election, be submitted to the people for ratification. All persons voting at said election in favor of adopting said proposed amendment to the Constitution shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: “For ratification of amendment to Art. 7 of the Constitution limiting the State rate to four mills, and authorizing the levy and collection of income taxes, inheritance taxes, privilege and occupational taxes, provided the income tax shall not exceed three per cent.” All persons opposed to the adoption of said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: “Against ratification of amendment to Art. 7 of the Constitution limiting the State rate to four mills, and authorizing the levy and collection of income taxes, inheritance taxes, privilege and occupational

taxes, provided the income tax shall not exceed three per cent." If the majority of the electors qualified to vote for members of the General Assembly voting thereon shall vote for ratification thereof, when the returns shall be consolidated, as now required by law in elections for members of the General Assembly, and returns thereof made to the Governor, he shall declare said amendment adopted and make Proclamation of the result by publication thereof by one insertion in one of the daily papers of the State, declaring said amendment ratified.

Section 4. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

The following amendments to the substitute were read and adopted:

By Mr. Rutherford of Monroe and Mundy of Polk—

Amend by adding the following to Section 2: "The exemption provided for shall be as follows: \$1,000.00 for each single person or in the case of a head of the family or a married person living with husband or wife, a personal exemption of \$2,500.00 and \$200.00 additional for each minor or dependent female."

By Messrs. Lankford of Toombs and Smith of Meriwether—

Amend by adding at the end of Section 2 the

following: "And the amount paid the State as ad valorem tax is hereby allowed as an exemption."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to by substitute as amended.

The bill involving a Constitutional Amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Anderson	DeFoor	Hines of Decatur
Arnold	DeLaPerriere	Hines of Sumter
Atkinson	Dickerson	Hodges
Baldwin	Dixon	Holland
Beck	Dobbs	Horne
Bleckley	DuBose	Houser
Bloodworth	Dudley	Howard of Forsyth
Boswell	Dykes	Howard of Screven
Bowden	Ennis	Hufstetler
Boyett	Evans	Hullender
Braddy	Fletcher	Hunter
Branch	Folsom	Hyman
Brannen	Foy	Jackson
Brown of Emanuel	Gann	Johnson of Bartow
Bush	Grant	Johnson of Pickens
Byrd of Crisp	Gresham	Keith
Camp	Griffin	Kennedy
Carr	Griffith	King of Wilcox
Carswell	Greene	Kittrell
Childs	Grovenstein	Knight
Clark of Webster	Gunnels	Lankford of Toombs
Clifton	Haddock	Lewis
Collier	Hamilton	Logan
Corbitt	Harris	Luke
Cowart	Hatcher of Burke	McClure
Culpepper	Hawkins	McGarity
Daniel of Heard	Henderson	McMichael
Davis of Floyd	Herring	Manning
Davis of Oglethorpe	Hillhouse	Mason

Mayo	Russell	Tyson
Miles	Rutherford	Valentino
Mixon	Salmon	Van Landingham
Moore of Appling	Sapp	Van Zant
Neal of Union	Shettlesworth	Walker
Nichols	Sibley	Wall
Owen	Singletary	Watkins
Parrish	Smith of Bryan	Way
Patten	Smith of Carroll	Weston
Penland	Smith of Haralson	Whitaker of Lowndes
Peterson	Steele	Whitworth
Phillips of Jasper	Stone	Williams of Harris
Price	Stovall	Wimberly
Pruett	Sumner of Johnson	Winship
Ramsey	Sumner of Wheeler	Wood
Reagan	Swift	Woodard
Reville	Swindle	Worthy
Robinson	Tatum	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Franks	Parks
Adams of Walton	Hatcher of Muscogee	Perkins
Beckham	Holloway	Perryman
Bentley	Jones of Coweta	Phillips of Telfair
Bird of Taliaferro	Jones of Thomas	Pickren
Bobo	Jones of Walker	Pilcher
Bowen	Johnson of	Riley
Bozeman	Chattahoochee	Smiley
Brantley	Langford of Hall	Smith of Meriwether
Brown of Hancock	McClelland	Thompson of Coweta
Brownlee	McDonald of Mitchell	Trippe
Clark of Colquitt	MacIntyre	Turner
Collins	Maddox	Vocelle
Daniel of Troup	Malone	Williams of Miller
Duncan of Hall	Moore of Fulton	Williams of Walton
Ficklen	Moye	Wyatt
Fowler	Mundy	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Blalock	King of Jefferson	Strickland
Boatwright	McDonald of	Thompson of Dodge
Coates	Richmond	Webb
Duncan of Dawson	Mann	Whitley
Guess	Quincey	Whitaker of Rockdale
Houston	Ricketson	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 141, Nays 48.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 48.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved that when the House adjourned it stand adjourned until this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

The motion of Mr. Wyatt of Troup that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock taking precedence over the other motions, prevailed.

Mr. Beck of Carroll moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Guess of DeKalb and Jones of Walker.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Wednesday, August 9, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 975. A bill to amend section 3033 of Code of 1910, relative to testamentary guardians.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 976. A bill to amend section 3032 of Code of 1910, relative to natural guardians.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 977. A bill to repeal section 4464 of Code of 1910, relative to relations of husband and wife.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 978. A bill to amend section 3037 of Code of 1910, relative to guardians of minors.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 979. A bill to repeal section 4467 of Code of 1910, relative to sale of spirituous liquors.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Bush of Lamar—

House Bill No. 980. A bill to create the Board of Commissioners for the County of Lamar.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 981. A bill to amend an act establishing the fee system now existing in Augusta Judicial Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. DuBose of Clarke—

House Bill No. 982. A bill to amend an act appropriating money to Georgia Training School for Mental Defectives.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Dobbs and Gann of Cobb—

House Bill No. 983. A bill to repeal an act creating a Board of Commissioners for Cobb County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Quincey of Coffee—

House Bill No. 984. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Douglas.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Messrs. Rutherford of Monroe, Wimberly of Laurens and others—

House Bill No. 985. A bill to place and collect a tax on syrups used in making soft drinks.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Messrs. Bowden and Blalock of Ware—

House Bill No. 986. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Waycross.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 987. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Louisville.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary.

Mr. DuBose of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 808.

House Bill No. 865.

Respectfully submitted,

DuBOSE of Clarke,

Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 951.

Senate Bill No. 270.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE of Randolph,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and

have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 965.

House Bill No. 966.

House Bill No. 973.

House Bill No. 969.

House Bill No. 967.

House Bill No. 970.

PICKREN of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Swift of Elbert County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Property, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Property have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

House Bill No. 740.

SWIFT of Elbert,

Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the following recommendations:

House Bill No. 964. Do pass.

House Bill No. 170. Do pass.

House Bill No. 736. Do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 74. Do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 227. Do not pass.

DAVIS of Floyd,

Chairman.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 892. Do pass.

House Bill No. 943. Do pass as amended.

House Resolution No. 973A. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 973B. Do pass.

House Bill No. 968. Do pass.

House Bill No. 957. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 122. Do pass.

House Bill No. 926. Do pass.

House Bill No. 709. Do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 94. Do pass.

House Bill No. 890. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 847. Do pass.

GUESS of DeKalb,

Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, Chairman of the committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed, and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts, to-wit:

House Bill No. 834. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Greensboro.

House Bill No. 860. A bill to provide for the extension of the corporate limits of Columbus.

House Bill No. 751. A bill to amend an act creating the City Court of Louisville.

House Bill No. 766. A bill to amend par. 1, section 13, art. 6 of the constitution relative to salary of Judges of Superior Court in judicial circuit in which Richmond County is located.

House Bill No. 792. A bill to amend an act to establish a City Court for County of Houston.

House Bill No. 781. A bill to amend an act and amendatory acts providing for payment of costs in misdemeanor cases in certain counties and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 809. A bill to amend an act to create the City Court of Claxton.

House Bill No. 824. A bill to amend an act establishing the City Court of Metter.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Boswell of Greene—

House Bill No. 170. A bill to provide for the foreclosure of mortgages, etc.

By Mr. Way of Liberty—

House Bill No. 740. A bill to authorize the Governor to sell certain lands within the State.

By Messrs. Bleckley of Rabun, Neal of Union and others—

House Bill No. 808. A bill to pay certain Counties funds from sale of products of National Forest Reserve.

By Messrs. Clark and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 847. A bill to repeal section 383 of Code of 1910, relative to certain misdemeanors.

By Mr. Camp of Campbell—

House Bill No. 865. A bill to appropriate certain sums to pay public printing debt.

By Mr. Davis of Oglethorpe—

House Bill No. 892. A bill to establish a State Depository in Crawford, Oglethorpe County.

By Messrs. Clark and Lewis of Colquitt—

House Bill No. 926. A bill to amend section 4651 of Code of 1910, relative to Notaries Public and Justices of Peace.

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 951. A bill to establish a Board of Commissioners for Wilkes County.

By Messrs. Guess of DeKalb and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 957. A bill to amend section 1 of Code of 1910, relative to boundary line of this State.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 964. A bill to enable Counties to provide for County agents and home economics.

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 965. A bill to amend the act amending the charter of the Town of McCaysville.

By Messrs. Gunnells of Franklin and Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 966. A bill to amend an act establishing system of public schools in City of Canon.

By Mr. Boyett of Stewart—

House Bill No. 967. A bill to create a new charter for the City of Richland.

By Messrs. Guess, Steele and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 968. A bill to create the City Court of Decatur.

By Messrs. Gunnells of Franklin and Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 969. A bill to amend an act incorporating the City of Canon in Counties of Franklin and Hart.

By Mr. Van Landingham of Seminole—

House Bill No. 970. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Donalsonville.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 973. A bill to repeal an act amending the charter of the Town of Cooledge.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 219 (973A). A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of P. P. Jackson.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 22 (973B). A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of P. P. Jackson.

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 94. A bill to provide for the assessment given an approval of the supersedeas bonds, etc.

By Messrs. Walker of the 18th and Johns of the 27th—

Senate Bill No. 122. A bill to amend Section 3931 of Code of 1910, relative to deceased intestate.

By Mr. Williams of the 45th—

Senate Bill No. 270. A bill amending section 755 of Code of 1910, relative to the operation of ferries.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Moore of Appling—

House Bill No. 943. A bill to amend an act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Appling.

The following committee amendments were read and adopted:

Amend Section 14 A as follows: By changing the figures at the end of second line "15" to "20".

Amend by adding at the end of Section 14 A the following: "Provided, however, that upon the recommendation of the Grand Jury at any term of the Superior Court of Appling County that said salary and expenses as provided for in this section shall not longer be paid; then, in such event, the County authorities shall not longer pay same, and said Chairman shall only receive the per diem as provided for in the original Act which this amends;"

Amend Section 14 H as follows: By striking, beginning at the word "not", in the fourth line of said section, and striking the remaining portion of said section, and substituting the following therefor: "**nor shall said County Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of said County levy at any time any additional tax to pay any future bonded indebtedness nor to pay for any bonded indebtedness that may now be in the course of validation; provided that the Grand Jury of said County may, sitting immediately preceeding a levy any given year, recommend higher levy for carrying on the necessary current expenses of the County, but the Grand Jury of said County shall not have the right under the provision of this Act and amendment to recommend a tax levy for any future bond issue or any bond issue that may now be in process of validation.**"

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Whitaker of Lowndes—

House Bill No. 958. A bill to amend the Act chartering the City of Valdosta.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Hunter and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 959. A bill to amend the several Acts granting corporate authority to the Town of Tybee.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 155, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Weston of Brooks—

House Bill No. 908. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Quitman.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland, and Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 954. A bill to amend an Act creating and establishing a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

The substitute by Messrs. Guess, McClelland, and Steele of DeKalb was read and adopted.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to by substitute.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 128,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

By Messrs. Steele, Guess and McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 955. A bill to change the name

of "Town of Decatur" to "City of Decatur" and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 950. A bill to amend an Act to amend the several Acts incorporating the City of Blue Ridge.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 125, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Bill No. 932. A bill to repeal an Act to create the City Court of Cleveland.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 126, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 929. A bill to fix terms of the Superior Court of Jeff Davis County and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 155, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 928. A bill to amend an Act to authorize the establishment of a system of public schools in the Town of Hazelhurst and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 918. A bill to change terms of Wilcox Superior Court.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 134, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 875. A bill to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia relative to the elementary rudiments of vocal music in Counties of certain population.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 851. A bill to authorize certain Counties to provide and maintain houses and equipment for purpose of fire protection.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135 Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Neill, Perkins, and Hatcher of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 900. A bill to repeal certain Acts relative to place of holding legal sales in the County of Muscogee.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 199, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Gunnels of Franklin—

House Bill No. 960. A bill to amend an Act fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Franklin County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 121, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Resolution No. 81. A resolution to provide for a survey of lands of the State known as the Col-

ony Lands of Georgia State Sanitarium for the Insane.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 105, Nays 0.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 276. A bill to change time of holding June Term of Superior Court of Barrow County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 126, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Peacock of 48th—

Senate Bill No. 263. A bill to amend an Act to establish the City Court of Eastman.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Lassiter of 14th—

Senate Bill No. 231. A bill to amend an Act to fix time of holding the Superior Court in the various Counties comprising the Cordele Circuit and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 959. A bill to provide and establish a new charter for the Town of Locust Grove.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent Senate Bill No. 197 was re-committed to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

The following bills and resolution of the Senate

were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Pope of 44th —

Senate Resolution No. 92. A resolution relative to appointing a committee of the House and Senate to ascertain some plan of aiding Confederate Soldiers.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Snow of 9th—

Senate Bill No. 209. A bill to repeal the Act abolishing fee system in Southern Judicial Circuit.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 216. A bill to amend Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Mr. Cone of 49th—

Senate Bill No. 226. A bill to substitute a Board of Control of five members for different Boards of Trustees of University of Georgia.

Referred to Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches.

By Mr. Haralson of 40th—

Senate Bill No. 262. A bill to provide further re-

gulation with regard to practice and procedure in the several courts of this State.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Brown of 50th—

Senate Bill No. 277. A bill to amend an Act providing for the selection of banks in certain Cities as State depositories so as to add City of Crawford.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Davidson of 23—

Senate Bill No. 291. A bill to repeal act creating Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Houston County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Davidson of 23—

Senate Bill No. 294. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Houston County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 308. To amend an Act to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Haralson County.

Senate Bill No. 221. To abolish the fees accruing to the office of Solicitor General in Criminal Cases in the Southern Judicial Circuit of this State.

The Senate has read and adopted the following Resolution of the House:

House Resolution No. 216. To correct error in Dougherty County Bill.

The Senate has passed by the requisite Constitutional majority the following bill of the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 236. To amend the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House:

House Bill No. 824. To amend an Act entitled "An Act to establish the City Court of Metter in the County of Candler," so as to provide that either party in any cost in court may have a trial by a Jury upon demand.

House Bill No. 766. A bill to amend Paragraph 1 Section 13 Article 6 in so far as said paragraph relates to the salary of the Judge of the Superior

Court of the Judicial Circuit in which is located the County of Richmond.

House Bill No. 834. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the town of Greensboro.

House Bill No. 809. To amend an Act to create the City Court of Claxton.

House Bill No. 792. To amend an Act to establish a City Court in the County of Houston.

House Bill No. 751. To amend Section 26 of an Act entitled "An Act creating the City Court of Louisville."

House Bill No. 781. To amend an Act providing for payment of cost in misdemeanor cases.

House Bill No. 860. To provide for extension of the Corporate limits of the City of Columbus.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bill:

Senate Bill No. 241. A bill for the rotation of Superior Court Judges in this State providing for their expenses.

Under orders of the day, the following bill of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on

Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Bill No. 449. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to authorize the General Assembly to classify property for taxation and for other purposes.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill and all amendments be tabled and the motion was lost.

Mr. Williams of Walton moved the previous question and the motion was lost.

Mr. Hawkins of Washington moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

Amend caption by striking therefrom the words “and to authorize taxes to be imposed upon incomes, inheritances, privileges, and occupations which latter classes of taxes may be graduated and when levied, may contain provisions for reasonable exemptions.”

Amend Section 1 by striking all of said section and substituting in lieu thereof the following: “Section 1. Be it enacted by authority of same, that paragraph one of Section 2 of Article 7 of the Con-

stitution of the State of Georgia be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Section, the following words, to wit: 'The General Assembly shall have the power to classify property for taxation and to adopt different rates and methods for different classes of property and to segregate different classes of property for State and local taxation.' '

Amend Section 2 as follows: By striking the words beginning line 12 of printed bill, "and authorizing imposing taxes upon incomes, inheritances, privileges and occupations" and the words beginning in line 19 of printed bill, "and authorizing imposing taxes upon incomes, inheritances, privileges and occupations."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to as amended.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Anderson	Bush	Dixon
Arnold	Byrd of Crisp	Dobbs
Atkinson	Carswell	DuBose
Beckham	Childs	Dudley
Bleckley	Clark of Colquitt	Dykes
Bowden	Clark of Webster	Ennis
Boyett	Clifton	Evans
Braddy	Collier	Folsom
Branch	Cowart	Fowler
Brannen	Culpepper	Gann
Brantley	Daniel of Heard	Grant
Brown of Emanuel	Davis of Floyd	Gresham
Brown of Hancock	Davis of Oglethorpe	Griffith

Greene	Lewis	Strickland
Grovenstein	Luke	Sumner of Johnson
Harris	McClure	Swift
Hatcher of Burke	McDonald of	Tatum
Hatcher of Muscogee	Richmond	Thompson of Coweta
Hawkins	McGarity	Thompson of Dodge
Henderson	McMichael	Trippe
Hillhouse	Maddox	Tyson
Hines of Sumter	Malone	Valentino
Hodges	Moore of Appling	Van Landingham
Holland	Moore of Fulton	Van Zant
Holloway	Nichols	Vocelle
Horne	Owen	Walker
Houser	Parrish	Wall
Hullender	Penland	Watkins
Hunter	Perkins	Webb
Hyman	Peterson	Weston
Jones of Coweta	Pickren	Whitaker of Lowndes
Johnson of Bartow	Pilcher	Whitaker of Rockdale
Johnson of Pickens	Quincey	Williams of Harris
Keith	Ramsey	Wimberly
Kennedy	Robinson	Winship
King of Jefferson	Russell	Woodard
King of Wilcox	Sibley	Worthy
Kittrell	Smiley	Wynne
Knight	Stone	
Lankford of Toombs	Stovall	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Dickerson	Jones of Thomas
Baldwin	Duncan of Dawson	Johnson of
Beck	Duncan of Hall	Chattahoochee
Bird of Taliaferro	Ficklen	Langford of Hall
Bloodworth	Foy	Logan
Bobo	Franks	McDonald of Mitchell
Boswell	Griffin	MacIntyre
Bowen	Haddock	Manning
Bozeman	Herring	Mason
Brownlee	Hines of Decatur	Mayo
Carr	Houston	Miles
Corbitt	Howard of Forsyth	Moye
Daniel of Troup	Howard of Screven	Neal of Union
DeLaPerriere	Jackson	Parks

Perryman	Sapp	Sumner of Wheeler
Phillips of Jasper	Shettlesworth	Way
Price	Singletary	Whitley
Pruett	Smith of Bryan	Whitworth
Reville	Smith of Carroll	Williams of Miller
Ricketson	Smith of Haralson	Williams of Walton
Riley	Smith of Meriwether	Wood
Salmon	Steele	Wyatt

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Guess	Patten
Bentley	Gunnels	Phillips of Telfair
Blalock	Hamilton	Reagan
Boatwright	Hufstetler	Rutherford
Camp	Jones of Walker	Swindle
Coates	McClelland	Turner
Collins	Mann	Mr. Speaker
DeFoor	Mixon	
Fletcher	Mundy	

Ayes 116, Nays 65.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 65.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Arnold of Clay gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 449.

Mr. Moore of Appling moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Resolution No. 221 (993A). A resolution providing for payment of expenses of joint committee on Board of Regents bill.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Resolution No. 222 (993B). A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of Alfred Conly.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Whitworth of Madison and Dudley of Clarke—

House Bill No. 988. A bill to amend an act known as the appropriations act relative to pensioners.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Lankford of Toombs—

House Bill No. 989. A bill to provide for organization and taxation of incorporated mutual insurance companies.

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Hunter and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 990. A bill to provide for precinct voting in the County of Chatham.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Houston of Gwinnett—

House Bill No. 991. A bill to amend section 2972 of Code of 1910, relative to habeas corpus.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Mr. Houston of Gwinnett—

House Bill No. 992. A bill to amend section 4528 of Code of 1910, relative to notice of possession and title.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

By Messrs. Ennis of Baldwin and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 993. A bill to authorize Board of Trustees of Georgia State Sanitarium to review commitments.

Referred to Committee on Georgia State Sanitarium.

Mr. Foy of Taylor County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:—

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, have had under consideration the following Bill and have instructed me as Vice-chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 262.

C. W. Fox of Taylor,
Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:—

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the Senate and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Senate Bill No. 291

Senate Bill No. 294.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:—

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 931.

MOORE of Fulton,

Chairman.

Mr. Vocelle of Candler County, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fish, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

House Bill No. 861.

JAMES VOCELLE of Camden,

Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House.

House Bill No. 863. A bill to amend Section 6065 of the Code of 1910.

House Bill No. 575. A bill to change the name of the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta.

House Bill No. 652. A bill to authorize additional ways for counties having a population of over 150,000 to provide for the support of paupers, etc.

House Bill No. 650. A bill to authorize counties of over 150,000 population to provide for necessary public sanitation.

House Bill No. 587. A bill to prevent taxing of authorities of certain Counties of any advalorem tax in excess of 10 mills.

House Bill No. 747. A bill to repeal an Act to incorporate the City of Rex in the County of Clayton.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 899. A bill to amend the Charter of Cedartown.

House Bill No. 854. A bill to amend an Act establishing and creating a new charter for the Town of Austell.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bill, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 195. A bill to rearrange the Tifton Judicial Circuit and the Cordele Judicial Circuit.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed as amended by the requisite constitutional majority the following Resolution of House, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 203. A resolution creating a Coal Commission.

The following bills of the House, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Pickren of Charlton—

House Bill No. 861. A bill to require non-residents of Charlton County to procure licenses to fish in said County.

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 931. A bill to amend Section 1 of Act establishing consolidated schools in each County of State.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Brownlee of Elbert—

House Resolution No. 223. A resolution extending the privileges of the floor to Messrs. Dr. C. F. Herndon, Dr. D. N. Thompson, and W. E. Smith

The following resolution of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering the Senate amendment thereto:

By Messrs. Guess of DeKalb and Davis of Floyd—

House Resolution No. 203. A resolution to create a commission to regulate the distribution of coal within this State, and for other purposes.

The following amendment of the Senate was read and concurred in:

Amend by adding: “That the Railroad Commission may refuse to approve the furnishing of coal to anyone violating the provisions of this act or their order.”

The following bills of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third ~~time~~ and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 862. A bill to require the studying of the Constitution of the United States and the State of Georgia in the public schools.

Mr. Fowler of Bibb moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The committee substitute was read and adopted.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 65
Nays 47.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that during the remainder of this afternoon's session individual speeches be limited to five minutes and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Bowden of Ware—

House Bill No. 910. A bill to authorize the State Highway Department to acquire, by purchase or condemnation, and pay for, certain toll bridges etc.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

Mr. Valentino of Chatham moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Messrs. Bentley of Fulton, Fowler of Bibb, and others—

House Bill No. 622. A bill to regulate the operation of motor vehicles in Towns and Cities and for other purposes.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

Amend Section 3 by adding to Section 3 at end of said Section the following: “Provided that this law shall not apply to Cities and Towns of less than twenty thousand.”

By Messrs. Hatcher and Perkins of Muscogee—

Amend by adding at end of Section 2 the following: “Provided, that the terms of this Act shall not apply to any jitneys, motor vehicle or Bus Lines operating from a City to Military reservations or immediate suburb.”

Mr. Shettlesworth of Gwinnett moved that bill and amendments be tabled and the motion was lost.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106 Nays 33.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 626. A bill to amend and Act, to annually in addition to the ad valorem tax on real and personal property as now required by laws, to levy and collect a tax for the support of the State Government and public institutions; for educational purposes in instructing children in the elementary branches of an English education only; and for other purposes.

The following substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to annually, in addition to the ad valorem tax on real and personal property as now required by law to levy and collect a tax for the support of the State Government and public institutions; for educational purposes in instructing children in the elementary branches of an English education only; to pay the interest on the public debt; to pay maimed and indigent Confederate Soldiers and widows of Confederate soldiers such amounts as are allowed them by law; to pay the public debt when due; to prescribe what persons, corporations, professions, business and property are liable to taxation; to prescribe the methods of collecting and receiving certain of said taxes; to prescribe questions to be propounded to tax payers and to provide penalties for violations thereof; and to repeal conflicting laws.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same that the "1st" paragraph of Section Two (2) of the above recited Act be and the same is hereby amended in the following manner: By adding after the last words "Vol. 1 of the Code of 1895" of said "1st" paragraph of said Section, the following words, to-wit:

Nor shall this tax be required or demanded of female inhabitants of the State who do not register for voting, so that said Section after being amended shall read as follows:—

Section 2. Upon each and every inhabitant of the State between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years on the days fixed for the return of property for taxation a poll tax of one (\$1.00) dollar which shall be for educational purposes, in instructing children in the elementary branches of an English education only. Provided this tax shall not be demanded of blind persons nor crippled, maimed or disabled Confederates relieved of such taxes under and by authority of Section 766, Vol. 1 of the Code of 1895, Nor shall this tax be required or demanded of female inhabitants of the State who do not register for voting.

Section 3. Provided further, That those female inhabitants who have heretofore registered may avail themselves of the benefits of this Act, and be relieved of said tax, by applying to the Tax Collector of their County, and have their names stricken from said Registration Book; and it shall be the duty of

said Tax Collector to issue to such females who may apply to have their names so stricken a certificate, which certificate shall bear date when issued and shall give the name of such female, and state in substance that said named female has been stricken from the Registration Book, and is no longer a Registered Voter for that year.

Section 4. Provided further, That those female inhabitants whose names have, at any time, been stricken from said Registration Book, or those who have never registered, may register for the purpose of voting, and shall be required to pay a poll-tax for the year in which they may so register; and shall be required to pay a poll-tax for every succeeding year so long as their names remain on said Registration Book.

Section 5. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to by substitute.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 14.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

Mr. Reagan of Henry moved that the bill be immediately transmitted to the Senate and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Bowden of Ware moved that House Bill No. 910 be taken from the table; the motion prevailed, and the bill was placed upon the calendar.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved that House Bill No. 377 be taken from the table and the motion was lost.

By Messrs. Houston of Gwinnett and Guess of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 18. A bill for quieting, perfecting and aiding land titles in this State and for other purposes.

Mr. Hatcher of Muscogee moved that the bill, substitute and all amendments be tabled and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering House Bill No. 622 immediately transmitted to the Senate.

On this motion Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved the previous question.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

The motion for the previous question was lost.

Mr. Hatcher of Burke moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion that the House reconsider its action in ordering House Bill No. 622 immediately transmitted to the Senate prevailed.

Mr. Arnold of Clay gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 622.

Mr. Foy of Taylor moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE,
REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

Thursday, August 10, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M., was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the following was established as the order of business during the thirty minutes period of unanimous consents:

1. Introduction of New Matter under the Rules.
2. Reports of Standing Committees.
3. Reading of House and Senate bills and resolutions, favorably reported, the second time.
4. Passage of uncontested local House and Senate bills and uncontested general House and Senate bills having a local application.
5. First reading of Senate bills and resolutions.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. DeLaPerriere and Swindle of Jackson—

House Bill No. 994. A bill to abolish the Jefferson City Court.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Braddy of Glascock—

House Bill No. 995. A bill to repeal an Act to create a Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for Glascock County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 996. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 997. A bill to repeal an Act to create Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jeff Davis County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Resolution No. 224 (996.A). A resolution to relieve the bondsmen on bond of E. P. Woodward.

Referred to General Judiciary Committee No. 1.

Mr. DuBose of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following bills and resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 948. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 946. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 985. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 943. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 982. Do pass as amended.

House Resolution No. 167. Do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

DuBOSE of Clarke,

Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 923. Do pass.

House Bill No. 922. Do pass.

House Bill No. 940. Do pass.

House Bill No. 337. Do pass.

LANKFORD of Toombs,

Chairman.

Mr. Gunnels of Franklin County, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 986. Do pass.

GUNNELS of Franklin,

Chairman.

Mr. C. W. Foy of Taylor County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Resolution No. 222.

C. W. Foy of Taylor,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Perryman of Talbot County, Chairman of the Committee on Penitentiary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Penitentiary have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass:

House Bill No. 878.

PERRYMAN of Talbot,

Chairman.

Mr. Boyett of Stewart County, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Pensions have had under consideration the following bill and resolutions of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 735.

House Resolution No. 137.

House Resolution No. 179.

MR. BOYETT of Stewart,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 984.

PICKREN of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Walter R. McDonald of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 762.

House Bill No. 981.

MCDONALD of Richmond,

Chairman.

Mr. Hullender of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and resolutions, to-wit:

House Bill No. 841. An Act to create the City Court of Lyons.

House Bill No. 779. An Act to amend Act providing for holding four terms of Superior Court of Stephens County.

House Bill No. 474. An Act to amend Act establishing a Normal and Industrial School, so as to change name of said school.

House Bill No. 801. An Act to amend Section 1249 of Code of 1910, relative to State Depositories.

House Bill No. 840. An Act to abolish the City Court of Toombs County.

House Bill No. 854. An Act to amend Act creating City Court of Sandersville.

House Bill No. 863. An Act to amend Section 1065 of Civil Code of 1910, relative to official organs.

House Resolution No. 203. An Act providing for appointment of Commission to regulate distribution of coal within State.

House Bill No. 587. An Act to prohibit levying or collection by authorities of certain counties of taxes to build jails, etc.

House Bill No. 650. An Act to authorize counties of certain populations to provide for public sanitation.

House Bill No. 575. An Act to change the name of the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta.

House Bill No. 845. An Act to amend an Act establishing a new charter for the Town of Austell.

House Bill No. 652. An Act to authorize additional ways whereby counties of certain populations may provide for support of paupers.

House Bill No. 747. An Act to repeal an Act to incorporate the City of Rex, Clayton County.

House Bill No. 899. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Cedartown.

Respectfully submitted, .

HULLENDER of Catoosa,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Boatwright and Brown of Emanuel—

House Resolution No. 167 (7620). A resolution to relieve the sureties on bond of J. B. Hall, Tax Collector of Emanuel County.

By Messrs. Branch of Turner and Coates of Pulaski—

House Resolution No. 137 (669A). A resolution to restore T. D. Davis to the pension roll.

By Mr. Sapp of Whitfield—

House Resolution No. 179 (806A). A resolution to pay pension to Mrs. Elizabeth Arnold, widow of Martin Arnold.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Resolution No. 222 (993B). A resolution to relieve bondsmen of Alfred Conly.

By Mr. Haralson of the 20th—

Senate Bill No. 262. A bill to provide regulation of procedure and practice in several courts of State.

By Mr. Davidson of the 23rd—

Senate Bill No. 291. A bill to repeal an Act creating the Board of Commissioners of Houston County.

By Mr. Davidson of the 23rd—

Senate Bill No. 294. A bill to create a Board of County Commissioners for Houston County.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 337. A bill to amend Article 7, Section 1, Paragraph 1 of the Constitution relative to public roads and bridges.

By Mr. Fowler of Bibb—

House Bill No. 735. A bill to place Elliott S. Hicks on pension roll.

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 762. A bill to amend an Act creating the Municipal Court of Atlanta.

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 922. A bill to create a Bond Commission for State to issue highway bonds.

By Mr. Perryman of Talbot—

House Bill No. 923. A bill to amend Article 7 of the Constitution relative to issuance of highway bonds.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 981. A bill to amend an Act relative to Augusta Judicial Circuit.

By Mr. DuBose of Clarke—

House Bill No. 982. A bill to amend an Act relative to Georgia Training School for Mental Defectives.

By Messrs. Bowden and Blalock of Ware—

House Bill No. 986. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Waycross.

The following bills of the House were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Boyett of Stewart—

House Bill No. 967. A bill to create a new charter for the City of Richland.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Ficklen and Bobo of Wilkes—

House Bill No. 951. A bill to establish Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Wilkes County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Guess, McClelland, and Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 968. A bill to create and establish the City Court of Decatur.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Wood of Twiggs—

House Bill No. 963. A bill to establish a new charter for Town of Danville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Pickren of Charlton—

House Bill No. 861. A bill to require non-residents of Charlton County to procure a license to fish in the waters of said County, and for other purposes.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend Section 2 by inserting between the word "license" in the 7th line of said Section, and the word "nothing" in the 7th line of said Section, the following language: "Provided, that bona fide non-resident members of fishing clubs which are now

established and own property in said Charlton County, shall be required to pay said Warden the sum of three (\$3.00) dollars only, for said license provided for in this Section.”

Amend Section 4 by adding at the end of said Section the following language: “Provided, that bona fide non-resident members of fishing clubs which are now established and own property in said Charlton County, shall be permitted to fish six consecutive days in each month during said closed season.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 145, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas—

House Bill No. 973. A bill to repeal in part and amend an Act incorporating Town of Cooledge.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Davis of Oglethorpe—

House Bill No. 892. A bill to establish a State Depository at Crawford.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Gunnells of Franklin and Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 966. A bill to amend an Act authorizing the City of Canon to establish and maintain a system of Public Schools, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 136, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 965. A bill to amend an Act to amend the several Acts incorporating the Town of McCaysville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Gunnells of Franklin and Mason of
Hart—

House Bill No. 969. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Canon.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 135,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Van Landingham of Seminole—

House Bill No. 970. A bill to amend charter of Town of Donaldsonville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 140,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Williams of 45th—

Senate Bill No. 195. A bill to rearrange the Tifton Judicial Circuit.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Snow of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 221. A bill to abolish fees of Solicitor-General from criminal cases in Southern Judicial Circuit and provide salary for said office.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. Wall of 5th—

Senate Bill No. 236. A bill to amend the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

Referred to Committee on Public Highways.

By Messrs. Lassiter of 14th and Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 241. A bill for the rotation of Superior Court Judges and providing for their expenses.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Hutchens of 38th—

Senate Bill No. 308. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Haralson County.

Referred to Committee on Counties and County Matters.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 449, the motion prevailed, and the bill went to the end of the calendar.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that during the remainder of the session, unless otherwise provided by the House, individual speeches during the morning sessions be limited to 10 minutes, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. McClelland of DeKalb moved that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 226.

On this motion Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion that the House reconsider its action in passing House Bill No. 226 prevailed, and the bill went to the end of the calendar.

By Mr. Hunter of Chatham—

House Bill No. 885. A bill to authorize and empower towns, cities and counties of the State to appropriate money to the State Sanatorium for Tubercular Patients, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 141, Nays 2.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Williams of Harris—

House Bill No. 796. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize State Highway Department relative to Federal Aid Roads.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department of Georgia, and to prescribe the duties and powers thereof. To create a system of State Aid Roads and provide for the designation, maintenance, improvement and construction of the same. To create and provide for a State Aid Road and for the control and management thereof; to provide for the paving of said State Aid Roads by the State, or co-operation with the county or with the United States Government; to provide for assistance to counties upon the public roads thereof and in retiring county road bonds, to assent to the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved July 11, 1916, known as the “Act to provide that the United States shall aid the State in the construction of rural post roads and for other purposes;” to provide the right to condemn property for State Aid Roads in certain cases; to provide for a change in the manner of the selection of the Chairman and other members of the Board, and for other purposes.”

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by

authority of the same, That provision 3, Section 2, of Article 5 on page 249, Georgia Laws of 1919, and amendments thereto, Acts 1912, page 200, be amended by striking out the figures and words in lines 2 and 3, Paragraph 2, Section 1, Acts 1921, page 200: "And inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures 5,500 miles and inserting in lieu thereof "Not to exceed 7 per centum of the total highway mileage of said State," and by adding the following provision, to-wit: "The said Highway Department may have the right to construct and maintain State Aid Roads in and through towns of not more than twenty-five hundred population."

Section 2. Be it further enacted by authority aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

The following committee amendment to the above substitute was read and adopted:

Amend Section 1 by adding thereto the following: "Provided that nothing contained in said provision shall be construed as effecting the present State aid mileage of 5,500 miles."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 129, Nays 5.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Moore, Bentley and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 592. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to authorize various counties to abolish fees of certain county offices and to provide salaries in lieu thereof.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

AN ACT

To amend Article 11, Section 3, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution of this State, so as to authorize the General Assembly to consolidate the offices of Tax Collector and Tax Receiver: To abolish the fees accruing to the Ordinary, Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, Tax Collector, Tax Receiver, Solicitor and other officers of any City or County Court, and any other officers having charge of the transaction of county matters in any county in this State: To prescribe salaries and expenses in lieu thereof, sources of payment and levy of tax therefor: To provide what disposition shall be made of fees accruing to said offices: When approved by the voters of such county or counties; and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That Article 11, Section 3,

Paragraph 1, of the Constitution of Georgia, which is as follows:

“Whatever tribunal, or officers, may hereafter be created by the General Assembly, for the transaction of County matters, shall be uniform throughout the State, and of the same name, jurisdiction and remedies, except that the General Assembly may provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in any County, and may abolish the office of County Treasurer in any County, or fix the compensation of County Treasurer and such compensation may be fixed without regard to uniformity of such compensation in the various Counties,” be amended by inserting in said paragraph the following words, “May consolidate the offices of Tax Receiver and Tax Collector in any County,” following the words thereof “Except that the General Assembly may provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in any County,” and by adding at the end of said paragraph the words “And except that the General Assembly may in any County, by general or special laws, abolish the fees accruing to the Ordinary, Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, Tax Collector, Tax Receiver, Solicitor and other officers of any City or County Court, and any other officers having charge of the transaction of County matters, and in lieu thereof prescribe salaries and sources of payment thereof for such officers, their deputies and assistants, and provide for clerical and other expenses of such officers and for levy of such purposes of a tax additional to other taxes, and provide what disposition shall be made of

the fees accruing to such offices, all without regard to the uniformity of such compensation or methods or sources of payments thereof in the various counties; provided that no such legislation with respect to abolishment of fees and prescribing of salaries and expenses shall operate so as to affect the compensation of any official during the term of office for which he may have been elected prior to approval and adoption of this Act by the voters of the County to be affected as hereinafter provided; (and, provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to work a forfeiture of the accrued legal fees due the respective officers herein affected up to the time of said approval and adoption of the same by each County as affected,) nor shall be effective in any County until a majority of qualified voters thereof who vote at a regular election or a special election called for that purpose and held in such manner as may be, by general or special law, prescribed by the General Assembly, shall approve and vote for the same," so that the said paragraph when so amended will read as follows, to-wit:

"Whatever tribunal, or officers, may hereafter be created by the General Assembly, for the transaction of County matters, shall be uniform throughout the State, and of the same name, jurisdiction and remedies, except that the General Assembly may provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in any County, may consolidate the offices of Tax Receiver and Tax Collector in any County, and may abolish the office of County Treasurer in any County, or fix the compensation of County

Treasurer and such compensation may be fixed without regard to the uniformity of such compensation in various Counties; and except that the General Assembly may in any County, by general or special laws, abolish the fees accruing to the Ordinary, Clerk of the Superior Court, Sheriff, Tax Collector, Tax Receiver, Solicitor and other officers of any City or County Court, and any other officers having charge of the transaction of County matters, and in lieu thereof prescribe salaries and sources of payment thereof for such officers, their deputies and assistants, and provide for clerical and other expenses of such officers and for levy for such purposes of a tax additional to other taxes, and provide what disposition shall be made of the fees accruing to such offices, all without regard to the uniformity of such compensation or methods or sources of payments thereof in the various Counties; provided that no such legislation with respect to abolishment of fees and prescribing of salaries and expenses shall operate so as to affect the compensation of any official during the term of office for which he may have been elected prior to approval and adoption of this Act by the voters of the County to be affected as hereinafter provided; (and, provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to work a forfeiture of the accrued legal fees due the respective officers herein affected up to the time of said approval and adoption of the same by each County as affected,) nor shall be effective in any County until a majority of qualified voters thereof who vote at a regular election or a special election called for that purpose, and held

in such manner as may be, by general or special law, prescribed by the General Assembly, shall approve and vote for the same.”

Section 2. Be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, That if this amendment shall be agreed to by two-thirds vote of the members of the General Assembly of each House, the same shall be entered upon their journals, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and the Governor shall cause the amendment to be published in one or more of the newspapers in each congressional district, for two months previous to the time of holding the next general election, and the same shall be submitted to the people at the next general election, and the voters thereat shall have written or printed on their ballots “For ratification of amendment to Article 11, Section 3, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution of this State, authorizing the abolishment of fees accruing to County officers and the substitution of salaries in lieu thereof and the consolidation of the offices of Tax Collector and Tax Receiver,” or “Against ratification of Article 11, Section 3, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution of this State, authorizing the abolishment of fees accruing to County officers and the substitution of salaries in lieu thereof and the consolidation of the offices of Tax Collector and Tax Receiver,” as they may choose, and if the people shall ratify such amendment by a majority of the electors qualified to vote for members of the General Assembly, voting therein, as shown by consolidation thereof and returns made, as provided by law, then said amend-

ment shall be and become a part of said Article 11, Section 3, Paragraph 1, of the Constitution of this State, and the Governor shall make proclamation thereof.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the Act be and the same are, hereby repealed.

The following amendments to the committee substitute were read and adopted:

By Mr. Fowler of Bibb—

Amend by striking the following language wherever it appears in the bill: “and, provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to work a forfeiture of the accrued legal fees due the respective officers herein affected up to the time of said approval and adoption of the same by each County as affected.”

By adding after the word “County” in line 21 of Section 1 the following “having a population according to the census of 1920 of not less than 42,500;” and by adding the words “42,500” after the word “County” in line three of page three of said substitute.

Mr. Hawkins of Washington moved the previous question.

Mr. Wyatt moved that the bill, substitute and all amendments be tabled, and the motion was lost.

The motion for the previous question prevailed and the main question was ordered.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question and the motion was lost.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute as amended, was agreed to as amended.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Dickerson	Howard of Screven
Adams of Walton	Dixon	Hufstetler
Arnold	Dobbs	Hullender
Atkinson	DuBose	Hunter
Beckham	Dykes	Hyman
Bird of Taliaferro	Ennis	Jackson
Bleckley	Evans	Jones of Coweta
Bloodworth	Folsom	Jones of Thomas
Boswell	Fowler	Johnson of Bartow
Bowen	Gann	Johnson of
Boyett	Gresham	Chattahoochee
Bozeman	Griffin	Keith
Brannen	Grovenstein	Kennedy
Brantley	Guess	King of Jefferson
Brown of Emanuel	Haddock	King of Wilcox
Brown of Hancock	Hatcher of Burke	Kittrell
Bush	Hatcher of Muscogee	Knight
Carr	Hawkins	Lankford of Toombs
Carswell	Herring	Lewis
Clark of Webster	Hillhouse	Luke
Cowart	Hodges	McClelland
Culpepper	Holloway	McClure
Davis of Floyd	Horne	McDonald of Mitchell
DeFoor	Houser	McGarity
DeLaPerriere	Howard of Forsyth	MacIntyre

McMichael	Reagan	Tripp
Maddox	Robinson	Turner
Malone	Rutherford	Tyson
Mason	Salmon	Valentino
Mayo	Sapp	Van Landingham
Miles	Shettlesworth	Vocelle
Moore of Appling	Sibley	Wall
Moore of Fulton	Singletary	Way
Moye	Smiley	Webb
Mundy	Smith of Bryan	Whitley
Nichols	Smith of Haralson	Whitaker of Lowndes
Owen	Smith of Meriwether	Whitaker of Rockdale
Parks	Steele	Whitworth
Parrish	Stone	Williams of Harris
Patten	Stovall	Williams of Walton
Perkins	Strickland	Winship
Perryman	Sumner of Johnson	Woodard
Peterson	Swift	Worthy
Phillips of Jasper	Tatum	Wynne
Pruett	Thompson of Coweta	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Anderson	Ficklen	Pickren
Beck	Fletcher	Pilcher
Bobo	Foy	Price
Bowden	Franks	Quincey
Braddy	Grant	Ramsey
Branch	Griffith	Reville
Brownlee	Greene	Ricketson
Byrd of Crisp	Harris	Riley
Camp	Henderson	Smith of Carroll
Childs	Hines of Decatur	Sumner of Wheeler
Clark of Colquitt	Holland	Thompson of Dodge
Clifton	Houston	Van Zant
Coates	Johnson of Pickens	Walker
Collier	Langford of Hall	Williams of Miller
Daniel of Heard	McDonald of	Wimberly
Daniel of Troup	Richmond	Wood
Davis of Oglethorpe	Manning	Wyatt
Duncan of Dawson	Neal of Union	
Duncan of Hall	Penland	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Baldwin	Gunnels	Phillips of Telfair
Bentley	Hamilton	Russell
Blalock	Hines of Sumter	Swindle
Boatwright	Jones of Walker	Watkins
Collins	Logan	Weston
Corbitt	Mann	Mr. Speaker
Dudley	Mixon	

Ayes 133, Nays 54.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 54.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Moore of Fulton gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 592.

By unanimous consent when the House adjourn it will stand adjourned until this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mr. McDonald of Richmond moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION,

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 998. A bill to appropriate additional money to State Board of Entomology.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 999. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Cairo.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

By Mr. McDonald of Richmond—

House Resolution No. 225 (998A). A resolution to establish library for Judge of Federal Court, Southern District.

Referred to Committee on Special Judiciary.

Mr. Guess of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chair-

man, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 987.

Senate Bill No. 84.

CARL N. GUESS, Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 990.

SMITH of Meriwether,

Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 995.

House Bill No. 983.

House Bill No. 972, as amended.

House Bill No. 980.

House Bill No. 997.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. Ennis of Baldwin County, Chairman of the Committee on Georgia State Sanitarium, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Georgia State Sanitarium have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 993.

Respectfully submitted,

ENNIS of Baldwin,

Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has concurred in House amendments

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 9A and 10 to Senate Bill No. 7, a bill known as the Australian Ballot Bill.

The Senate has disagreed to the House amendments Nos. 7 and 8 to above bill.

The President appoints as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate:

Messrs. Jones of 37th,
Nix of 51st, and
Jackson of 21st.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate bill, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 252. A bill to require the posting of rates in hotels and to place the inspection of hotels under the supervision of the State Board of Health.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of Senate:

Senate Bill No. 240. A bill to amend Section 2820 of the Civil Code of Georgia of 1910, relative to the increase of the capital stock of trust companies, by providing that the capital stock of such companies

shall not be limited "to a sum not exceeding two million dollars."

Senate Bill No. 250. A bill relative to payment of poll taxes.

By unanimous consent, the following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Clifton of Lee—

House Bill No. 972. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Lee County.

By Mr. Bush of Lamar—

House Bill No. 980. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners for Lamar County.

By Messrs. Dobbs and Gann of Cobb—

House Bill No. 983. A bill to repeal an Act creating a Board of Commissioners for Cobb County.

By Messrs. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 987. A bill to amend an Act creating the City Court of Louisville.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Hunter and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 990. A bill to provide for precinct voting in Chatham County.

By Messrs. Ennis of Baldwin and Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 993. A bill to authorize Trustees of Georgia State Sanitarium to review commitments.

By Messrs. Weaver of the 11th and Aiken of the 4th—

Senate Bill No. 84. A bill to permit all corporations incorporated by Secretary of State, except insurance, banking and trust companies, to increase capital stock.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Swift of Elbert—

House Resolution No. 160. A resolution appropriating money to pay expense of Mansion Leasing Committee.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Tatum of Dade as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Gann	MacIntyre
Anderson	Grant	McMichael
Arnold	Gresham	Maddox
Baldwin	Griffin	Malone
Beck	Greene	Mason
Beckham	Grovenstein	Mayo
Bird of Taliaferro	Gunnels	Miles
Bleckley	Haddock	Moore of Appling
Bloodworth	Hawkins	Moore of Fulton
Bobo	Henderson	Moye
Boswell	Herring	Mundy
Boyett	Hodges	Neal of Union
Bozeman	Holland	Owen
Braddy	Holloway	Parks
Branch	Horne	Parrish
Brannen	Howard of Forsyth	Patten
Brantley	Hullender	Penland
Brown of Emanuel	Hunter	Perryman
Brown of Hancock	Hyman	Peterson
Brownlee	Jones of Coweta	Phillips of Jasper
Bush	Jones of Thomas	Phillips of Telfair
Byrd of Crisp	Johnson of Bartow	Pilcher
Carr	Johnson of	Price
Carswell	Chattahoochee	Pruett
Childs	Johnson of Pickens	Ramsey
Clark of Webster	Keith	Reville
Collier	Kennedy	Ricketson
Cowart	King of Jefferson	Riley
Culpepper	King of Wilcox	Robinson
Davis of Floyd	Kittrell	Russell
Davis of Oglethorpe	Knight	Rutherford
Dickerson	Lankford of Toombs	Salmon
Dobbs	Lewis	Sapp
Dykes	Logan	Shettlesworth
Ennis	McClure	Sibley
Ficklen	McDonald of Mitchell	Smith of Carroll
Folsom	McDonald of	Smith of Haralson
Foy	Richmond	Smith of Meriwether
Franks	McGarity	Steele

Stone	Valentino	Williams of Harris
Stovall	Van Zant	Williams of Miller
Strickland	Vocelle	Wimberly
Sumner of Wheeler	Walker	Winship
Swift	Wall	Wood
Tatum	Way	Woodard
Thompson of Coweta	Webb	Worthy
Turner	Weston	Wyatt
Tyson	Whitaker of Lowndes	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Hillhouse	Luke	Smith of Bryan
Howard of Screven		

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Duncan of Hall	Mixon
Atkinson	Evans	Nichols
Bentley	Fletcher	Perkins
Blalock	Fowler	Pickren
Boatwright	Griffith	Quincey
Bowden	Guess	Reagan
Bowen	Hamilton	Singletary
Camp	Harris	Smiley
Clark of Colquitt	Hatcher of Burke	Sumner of Johnson
Clifton	Hatcher of Muscogee	Swindle
Coates	Hines of Decatur	Thompson of Dodge
Collins	Hines of Sumter	Trippe
Corbitt	Houser	Van Landingham
Daniel of Heard	Houston	Watkins
Daniel of Troup	Hufstetler	Whitley
DeFoor	Jackson	Whitaker of Rockdale
DeLaPerriere	Jones of Walker	Whitworth
Dixon	Langford of Hall	Williams of Walton
DuBose	McClelland	Wynne
Dudley	Mann	Mr. Speaker
Duncan of Dawson	Manning	

Ayes 141, Nays 4.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 141, Nays 4.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Hamilton, Davis and Salmon of Floyd—

House Bill No. 467. A bill to authorize the Insurance Commission to appoint an assistant fire inspector.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 21.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Williams of 45th—

Senate Bill No. 270. A bill amending Code of 1910 relative to the establishment, maintenance, and operation of ferries over streams dividing one or more counties.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 17.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House

adjourn it stand adjourned until to-night at 8:00 o'clock.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion was lost.

The motion that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8:30 o'clock was lost.

The motion that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-night at 8:00 o'clock was lost.

By Mr. Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 869. A bill to amend Code of 1910 relative to the laying out and opening of public roads.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 2.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Valentino of Chatham and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 569. A bill to amend Tax Act of 1921 as to bill boards.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to amend the General Tax Act of 1921, providing annually in addition to the ad valorem tax on real and personal property as now required by law to levy and collect a tax for the support of the State Government and public institutions, approved August 15, 1921, by striking from the fourth paragraph of Section two of said Act all following the word "sold" appearing as the second word in the seventh line of said paragraph four of said Section two, and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "In each county where located, fifty cents a location."

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this Act, paragraph four of section two of the General Tax Act approved August 15, 1921, be and the same is hereby amended by striking from said section all appearing after the word "sold" the second word in the seventh line of said paragraph, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"In each county where located, fifty cents for each location," so that when amended said section shall read:

"4th. Advertising. Upon each person, firm or corporation conducting the business of an advertis-

ing agency, using other means than billboards, \$50.00; upon each person, firm or corporation conducting the business of advertising by signs painted, pasted or printed on bill boards or other places where space is leased, rented or sold, in each county where located, fifty cents for each location," and a location is defined to be 75 lineal feet or a fractional part thereof, and provided further that before painting or posting such locations or fractional part thereof it shall be the duty of the person or persons so advertising to register with the Ordinary and Tax Collector of said county as required by law, and in case of any increase of advertising the Ordinary shall in each instance be notified as to the number of locations.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 123, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

Mr. McMichael of Marion moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Langford of Hall.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9:00 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.,

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11TH, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

The following bills of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the Committees:

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 1000. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Abbeville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 1001. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Abbeville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker :

The Senate has concurred in House Amendments to the following Senate Bill:

Senate Bill No. 253. A bill for the protection of furbearing animals in Georgia.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker :

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 903. A bill to create a new charter for City of Eastman.

House Bill No. 857. A bill to amend the charter of City of Savannah.

House Bill No. 888. A bill to fix salary of Treasurer of Pulaski County.

House Bill No. 617. A bill to fix compensation of Jury Commissioners.

House Bill No. 886. A bill to amend an Act to create Commissioners for Pulaski County.

House Bill No. 934. A bill to fix salary of Solicitor of Augusta Circuit.

House Bill No. 823. A bill to fix compensation for Bailiffs.

House Bill No. 914. A bill granting authority to Mayor and Council of Sandersville.

House Bill No. 906. A bill to amend charter of City of Washington.

House Bill No. 884. A bill to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Morgan County.

House Bill No. 758. A bill to amend charter of College Park, Georgia.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following resolution of the House, to-wit.

House Resolution No. 204. A resolution for the election of more than one member of Board of Commissioners of Jones County.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bills of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the following recommendations:

Senate Bill No. 278. Do pass as amended.

Senate Bill No. 280. Do not pass.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE,
Chairman.

Mr. Turner of Brooks County, Chairman of the Committee on Public Highways, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Public Highways have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 971.

Senate Bill No. 216.

TURNER of Brooks,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 996.

PICKREN of Charlton,

Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed, and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 886. An Act to amend Act creating the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Pulaski County.

House Bill No. 884. An Act to amend an Act creating Board of Commissioners for Morgan County.

House Bill No. 906. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Washington.

House Bill No. 914. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Sandersville.

House Bill No. 934. An Act to amend Act fixing salary of Solicitor-General of Augusta Judicial circuit.

House Resolution No. 204. A resolution for election of additional members of Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jones County.

House Bill No. 617. An Act to fix the compensation of Jury Commissioners in certain counties.

House Bill No. 823. An Act to fix compensation of bailiffs in certain courts.

House Bill No. 888. An Act to amend an Act fixing salary of the Treasurer of Pulaski County.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa,

Chairman.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Messrs. Langford and Duncan of Hall—

House Bill No. 971. A bill to regulate the running of automobiles and the use of cut-outs.

By Mr. Braddy of Glascock—

House Bill No. 995. A bill to repeal an Act establishing Commissioners for Glascock County.

By Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 996. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 997. A bill to repeal an Act creating a Board of Commissioners for Jeff Davis County.

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 216. A bill to amend the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

By Mr. Sheffield of the 9th—

Senate Bill No. 278. A bill to amend Act creating Board of Commissioners for Early County.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Clifton of Lee—

House Bill No. 972. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Lee.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend House Bill No. 972 by striking therefrom the following paragraph:

“That said Board of Commissioners to be elected as provided herein, shall promptly elect a Chairman from their number, who shall be paid a salary of one Hundred dollars per annum, and the other four members of the Board shall be paid a salary of sixty dollars per annum; and a clerk shall be elected who shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars per year as his salary,” and by inserting in lieu and instead thereof the following paragraph:

“That the ballot to be used in the General Election in Lee County, in 1922, shall have a blank line thereon, preceded by the words “For Chairman, County Commissioners,” and the voters voting may write on their ballot the name of the candidate for County Commissioner in said election whom they desire to be Chairman of said Board of Roads and Revenues; and the candidate for County Commissioner who is elected Commissioner in said election, and who also receives the largest number of votes for Chairman in said election shall be Chairman of the Board of Roads and Revenues, as herein provided. That said Chairman shall devote his entire time, attention and service to Lee County and its affairs, as the agent of said Board of Roads and Revenues, and shall act as the purchasing agent of said Board of Roads and Revenues, and shall be paid a salary at the rate of Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars per year; provided, that said Chairman shall at all times be under the jurisdiction of, and be amenable to the said Board of Roads and Revenues. That the other four members of said Board of Roads and Revenues shall each be paid a salary of Sixty Dollars per annum; and a clerk shall be elected who shall be paid at the rate of Three Hundred Dollars per year as his salary.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 119, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Harris and King of Jefferson—

House Bill No. 987. A bill to amend Act creating City Court of Louisville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 132, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Valentino and Hunter of Chatham—

House Bill No. 990. A bill to provide for precinct voting in the County of Chatham.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. McDonald, Pilcher and Reville of Richmond—

House Bill No. 981. A bill to amend an Act to

establish the fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of Augusta Judicial Circuit.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Bowden and Blalock of Ware—

House Bill No. 986. A bill to amend the charter of City of Waycross.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bush of Lamar—

House Bill No. 980. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for County of Lamar.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Quincy of Coffee—

House Bill No. 984. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Douglas.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Dobbs and Gann of Cobb—

House Bill No. 983. A bill to repeal an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Cobb County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Davis of 23rd—

Senate Bill No. 291. A bill to repeal an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Houston County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Davison of 23rd—

Senate Bill No. 294. A bill to create a Board of County Commissioners of Houston County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 119, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the Committees:

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 240. A bill to amend the Code of 1910 relative to increase of capital stock of trust companies.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs Thorpe of 2nd and Foy of 1st—

Senate Bill No. 250. A bill relating to the payment of poll taxes.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 252. A bill to require the posting of rates in all hotels and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the Senate was withdrawn from the Committee, read the second time, and recommitted:

By Mr. Hutchens of 38th—

Senate Bill No. 308. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Haralson County.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 994 was withdrawn from the Committee on Special Judiciary and recommitted to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

Mr. Holloway of Fulton moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 592 and the motion prevailed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bills, to-wit.

Senate Bill No. 320. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Crawfordville.

Senate Bill No. 304. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the City of Valdosta so as to provide for a public amusement park.

The following bills of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 171. A bill to amend an Act to establish a permanent Board of Education for the City of Savannah and for other purposes.

The following substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Valentino of Chatham—

AN ACT

To be entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to establish a permanent Board of Education for the City of Savannah and to incorporate the same, and for other purposes” approved March 21, 1866; and also to amend an Act entitled “An Act to establish a permanent Board of Education for the City of Savannah and to incorporate the same and for other purposes, approved March 21, 1866, and to change the name and extend the authority and powers of the said Board, and for other purposes,” approved December 18, 1866, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that the several Acts approved March 21, 1866, and December 18, 1866, creating the Board of Public Education for the City of Savannah and County of Chatham are hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

The entire membership of said Board, except the Massie School Commissioners, shall be subject to election by the qualified voters of said County. They shall be elected from the County at large and such election shall be held under the provisions of the General Laws governing County elections, so far as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Section 2. The candidates in number equal to the number of members to be chosen, who have the highest number of votes, shall be declared elected.

If at any election, a member is to be chosen to fill a vacancy and to serve out an unexpired term, candidate may be chosen as above provided, but they shall, in all cases, be designated on the ballots as candidates to fill a vacancy and the date of the unexpired term shall be stated.

Section 3. On the first day of January 1923, the term of office of the three members of the permanent Board who were last elected shall cease and terminate. On January 1, 1925, the term of office of the three members of the permanent Board then serving

and who were last elected shall terminate. On January 1, 1927, the term of office of the remaining members of the permanent Board shall terminate. At the general election occurring in the month of November 1922, three members of the Board of Education shall be elected to fill the offices of members whose term of office terminates, January 1, 1923, they shall hold office for a term of six years. At the general election in 1924 three additional members shall be elected to hold the offices of those members whose term of office terminates January 1, 1925, and at the general election in 1926, three members shall be elected to hold the office of those members whose term of office terminates January 1, 1927. Each of the members so elected shall hold office for a term of six years and until their successors are elected and qualified. Thereafter every two years at regular election. Three members of the Board shall be elected to fill the office of those members whose term of office expires the following January.

Section 4. Any vacancy in said Board from whatever cause occurring, shall be temporarily filled by the other members of the Board as soon as practicable after vacancy occurs. The member so chosen shall hold office until his successor is elected and qualified, which successor must be elected at next regular election.

Section 5. No person shall be eligible to the office of member of the Board of Education, who has

not attained the age of thirty years, or who is not the owner of real estate in Chatham County, and who is not a citizen of and bona fide resident of Chatham County, for three years preceding his election; or who holds or discharges office, deputyship, or agency, under the City or County, or under the State of Georgia, or any department thereof, or under the United States, or any foreign government, except that of Notary Public, or Militia Officer of Georgia.

No person shall be eligible to this office who is directly or indirectly interested in any contract with the Board, or whose father, son, brother, wife, daughter, mother, or sister, is employed in any capacity by such Board, or in any of the Public Schools, or who is directly or indirectly interested in the sale to the Board of books, stationery, or other property. If he shall after election become a candidate for any office or agency, or for the nomination thereto, the holding and discharging of which would have rendered him ineligible before election, or if he shall move out of the County, or shall do or incur anything which would have rendered him ineligible for election, or if any of his relatives above specified be employed by the Board, his office shall, by order of the said Board be declared vacant, and shall be filled as directed.

Section 6. This Act shall not go into effect until it shall have been adopted at a special election to be called and held not more than thirty days after

the passage of this bill and it shall be the duties of the County Commissioners to call such an election. Notice of said election to be given by County for the four weeks preceding the election by advertisement, once a week in any daily newspaper published in the City of Savannah.

Section 7. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to by substitute.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 8.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Whitworth of Madison—

House Bill No. 515. A bill to amend Code of 1910, relative to the foreclosure of Chattel Mortgages before due.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 93, Nays 29.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

By Messrs. Moyer of Randolph, and Quincey of Coffee—

House Bill No. 213. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to provide for the election of members of the General Assembly every four years instead of every two years.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Bush	Greene
Adams of Walton	Camp	Grovenstein
Anderson	Carr	Gunnels
Beck	Childs	Haddock
Beckham	Clifton	Harris
Bentley	Collier	Hatcher of Burke
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Hatcher of Muscogee
Blalock	Culpepper	Hawkins
Bloodworth	DeFoor	Henderson
Bobo	DeLaPerriere	Herring
Boswell	Dobbs	Hillhouse
Bowden	Dudley	Hines of Sumter
Boyett	Dykes	Holland
Bozeman	Franks	Holloway
Braddy	Gann	Houser
Brannen	Grant	Houston
Brantley	Gresham	Hufstetler
Brown of Hancock	Griffin	Hullender
Brownlee	Griffith	Marter

Jones of Coweta	Neal of Union	Stovall
Jones of Thomas	Owen	Strickland
Johnson of Bartow	Parks	Summer of Wheeler
Johnson of	Penland	Tatum
Chattahoochee	Phillips of Jasper	Trippe
Keith	Phillips of Telfair	Turner
Kennedy	Price	Valentino
King of Jefferson	Pruett	Van Landingham
King of Wilcox	Ramsey	Vocelle
Lankford of Toombs	Reville	Walker
McDonald of	Riley	Wall
Richmond	Robinson	Way
McGarity	Russell	Webb
MacIntyre	Sapp	Weston
Malone	Shettlesworth	Williams of Miller
Mann	Sibley	Williams of Walton
Mason	Smiley	Winship
Moore of Fulton	Smith of Bryan	Woodard
Moye	Smith of Carroll	
Mundy	Smith of Meriwether	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Arnold	Ficklen	Maddox
Atkinson	Folsom	Manning
Baldwin	Foy	Miles
Bleckley	Guess	Moore of Appling
Branch	Hines of Decatur	Parrish
Brown of Emanuel	Hodges	Patten
Byrd of Crisp	Howard of Forsyth	Perryman
Carswell	Howard of Screven	Peterson
Clark of Colquitt	Hyman	Pickren
Clark of Webster	Jackson	Pileher
Coates	Jones of Walker	Ricketson
Corbitt	Johnson of Pickens	Rutherford
Cowart	Kittrell	Salmon
Daniel of Troup	Knight	Singletary
Davis of Floyd	Lewis	Smith of Haralson
Davis of Oglethorpe	Logan	Steele
Dickerson	Luke	Sumner of Johnson
DuBose	McClelland	Swindle
Duncan of Hall	McClure	Thompson of Coweta
Ennis	McDonald of Mitchell	Thompson of Dodge
Evans	McMichael	Tyson

Van Zant	Whitaker of Rockdale	Wood
Watkins	Whitworth	Worthy
Whitley	Williams of Harris	Wyatt
Whitaker of Lowndes	Wimberly	Wynne

Those not voting were Messrs :

Boatwright	Hamilton	Quincey
Bowen	Horne	Reagan
Daniel of Heard	Langford of Hall	Stone
Dixon	Mayo	Swift
Duncan of Dawson	Mixon	Mr. Speaker
Fletcher	Nichols	
Fowler	Perkins	

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 113,
Nays 75.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph, gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass House Bill No. 213.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Messrs Penland, of Gilmer, Dobbs and Gann of Cobb, Atkinson of Chatham, and Arnold of Clay—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 226.

Whereas, The esteemed representative from Cherokee, Hon. John W. Collins, has deserted the noble

fraternity of bachelorhood, and been fortunate enough to discover a champion to aid him in entry into the ranks of the benedicts, therefore

Be it resolved by the House, That the membership of this body extend to the newly married couple its warmest and most cordial wishes for many years of happiness.

Mr. Mundy, of Polk, moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed the following committee, on the part of the House, as conference committee on Senate Bill No. 7:

Messrs. Hyman of Washington
Davis of Oglethorpe
Knight of Berrien.

By Mr. Davison of 23rd—

To be entitled an Act to propose to the qualified electors of this State an amendment to Paragraph 2, Section 1, Article 11, of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, as amended by the ratification of the qualified electors of this State of the several Acts approved, respectively, on July 19, 1904, July 31, 1906, July 30, 1912, August 14, 1912, July 7, 1914, July 27, 1914, August 11, 1914, August 15, 1917, August 21, 1917, July 30, 1918, August 11, 1919, July 8, 1920, and August 14, 1920, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following amendment is hereby proposed to Paragraph 2, Section 1, Article 11, of the Constitution of the State of Georgia, as amended by the ratification of the qualified voters of said State, of the several Acts approved, respectively, on July 19, 1904, July 31, 1906, July 30, 1912, August 14, 1912, July 7, 1914, July 27, 1914, August 11, 1914, August 15, 1917, August 21, 1917, July 30, 1918, August 11, 1919, July 8, 1920, and August 14, 1920, to-wit:

By Adding to said paragraph the following language:

“Provided, however, that in addition to the Counties now provided for by this Constitution there shall be a new County laid out and created from the territory now comprising Houston and Macon Counties, to be made up and composed of all that part of the territory of Houston and Macon Counties described and contained with boundaries as follows:

“Beginning at the point where the Counties of Bibb, Houston and Crawford corner; running thence along the line between the Counties of Houston and Crawford, to the point where the Counties of Houston, Crawford and Macon corner; thence in a Southwesterly direction along the line between the Counties of Crawford and Macon, to the middle of the run of Flint River; thence in a southerly direction,

down the middle of the run of Flint River to the Southern line of fractional lot No. 149 in the Eighth District of Macon County; thence East, along the Southern line of lots Nos. 149, 140, 117, 108, 85, 76, 53, 44 and 21 in the Eighth District of Macon County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 12 in the Eighth District of Macon County; thence South, along the Western line of lot No. 13 in the Eighth District of Macon County, to the Southwest corner of said lot No. 13 in the Eighth District of Macon County; thence East, along the Southern line of said lot No. 13 in the Eighth District of Macon County, to the Southwest corner of lot No. 253 in the Ninth District of Macon County; thence South along the Western line of lots Nos. 254, 255 and 256 in the Ninth District of Macon County, and the Western line of lots Nos. 1, 32, 33, 64 and 65 in the Fourteenth District of Macon County to the Southwest corner of said lot No. 65; thence East, along the Southern line of lots Nos. 65, 66 and 67 in the Fourteenth District of Macon County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 68 in the Fourteenth District of Macon County; thence South, along the Western line of lot No. 93 in the Fourteenth District of Macon County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 93 in the Fourteenth District of Macon County; thence East along the Southern line of lots Nos. 93, 92, 91, 90, 89, and 88 in the Fourteenth District of Macon County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 87 in the Fourteenth District of Houston County; thence continuing East along the Southern line of

lots Nos. 87, 86, 85 and 84 in the Fourteenth District of Houston County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 83 in the Fourteenth District of Houston County; thence North along the Western line of lots Nos. 83, 78, 51, 46, 19, and 14 in the Fourteenth District of Houston County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 33 in the Ninth District of Houston County; thence North along the Western line of lots Nos. 33 and 34 in the Ninth District of Houston County to the Southwest corner of lot No. 35 in the Ninth District of Houston County; thence East the entire length of the South line of said lot No. 35; thence North the entire length of the East line of said lot No. 35; thence East the entire length of the South line lot No. 29; thence North the entire length of the East line of lot No. 29; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 5 (said lots Nos. 35, 29 and 5 being in the Ninth District of Houston County) to the line between the Ninth and Tenth Land Districts of Houston County; thence North along said District line to the Southwest corner of lot No. 11 in said Tenth District; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 11; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 23; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 23; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 41; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 41; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 57; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 57; thence East the entire

length of the Southern line of lot No. 71; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 71; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 91; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 91; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 101; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 101, thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 125; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 125; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 131; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 131; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 159; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 159; thence East the entire length of the Southern line of lot No. 161; thence North the entire length of the Eastern line of lot No. 161 (said lots Nos. 11, 23, 41, 57, 71, 91, 101, 125, 131, 159 and 161 being in the Tenth District of Houston County) to the Southwest corner of lot No. 144 in the Fifth District of Houston County, thence North along the Western line of lots Nos. 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153 and 154 to the line between Houston and Bibb Counties; thence westerly, along the line between the Counties of Houston and Bibb, to the point where the Counties of Houston, Bibb and Crawford corner, the same being the point or place of beginning.”

“That the said new County shall be known as the

County of Peach and the City of Fort Valley shall be the County Site of the same.

“That, irrespective of other provisions of this Constitution said County of Peach shall, upon its creation, be entitled to one Representative in the House of Representatives of this State, and said County of Peach shall be entitled to one Representative in the House of Representatives of Georgia until the apportionment shall be changed by law, in accordance with the provisions of this Constitution.

“That the said County of Peach shall be attached to the Same Congressional District and to the same Judicial Circuit, and to the same State Senatorial District as those to which the County of Houston is attached at the date of the ratification of this amendment.

“That all legal voters residing in the limits of the County of Peach entitled to vote for members of the General Assembly under the laws of Georgia, shall, on the first Wednesday in January following the ratification of this proposed amendment, elect a Representative in the House of Representatives of this State, and Ordinary, a Clerk of the Superior Court, a Sheriff, a Coroner, a Tax Collector, a Tax Receiver, a County Treasurer and a County Surveyor. Said special election shall be held at the several election precincts existing within the limits of said Peach County at the time of the adoption of this proposed amendment and the Ordinary of Houston County shall appoint election managers for such

election precincts as may be located in Houston County at the time of the adoption of this proposed amendment; and the Ordinary of Macon County shall appoint election managers for such precincts as may be located in Macon County at the time of the adoption of this proposed amendment. On the day succeeding the holding of said election the election managers shall meet at the Council Chamber of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Fort Valley and consolidate the vote for the officers named; and the general laws of this State now in force as to elections, consolidation of the votes, the return of the election and the commission of officers shall be applicable to the officers elected at the election herein provided for. The officers elected at said election and the Representative in the House of Representatives shall hold their offices until the next General Election for such officers throughout the State and until their successors are elected and qualified. The General Assembly is hereby given power to create any additional statutory offices in said County or statutory courts, therein, and to provide for filling said offices. Any vacancies that may occur before the next General Election after the elections as herein provided may be filled in the same manner as such vacancies are now filled under the law. The Justices of the Peace and the Constables residing in the territory included within the limits of the said County of Peach shall exercise the duties and powers of their offices until new militia districts are laid out in said County

of Peach as now provided by law, and Justices of the Peace and Constables therefor elected.

“That the Superior Courts of said Peach County shall be held on the first Monday in March and the first Monday in September of each year.

“That the Congressional and Senatorial Districts, the Judicial Circuit to which said Peach County is attached, the times of holding the terms of the Superior Court, and the limits of the County shall be as designated above until changed by law.

“Provided, that the laws applicable to the organization of counties as found in Sections 829 to 848 inclusive of the Code of 1910 of Georgia, and in any other Acts or Sections having applicability, are hereby made applicable to said County of Peach, whenever the same may be created by the proposed amendment to the Constitution, and that said County, when created, shall become a statutory County and shall be subject at all times to all laws applicable to all other counties of this State.

“That the property of all tax payers included within the limits of the said Peach County as herein above designated is hereby made ratably chargeable with any debt that may have been incurred by either of the counties from which the territory included in the new County of Peach is taken by the legally constituted authorities of the counties for the purpose of raising revenues for the benefit of either of said counties, whether the said debt is a bonded debt or

one which has been incurred for the benefit in any way of either of said counties. The value of the taxable property included within the limits of the said County of Peach at the time of the adoption of this amendment to the Constitution in proportion to the value of the property in the counties for which the said County of Peach is taken shall determine the proportionate amount of the indebtedness which shall be borne by the property of the tax payers located within the limits of said proposed new county.

“Authority is hereby given to the Ordinary of the said County of Peach and to the officers of the counties from which said territory is taken who are charged with the management of the business of said counties to settle and agree upon an amount of the said indebtedness that shall be assessed against and paid by the said County of Peach; and it is hereby made the duty of the Ordinary of the said County of Peach when the amount of said indebtedness with which the said County of Peach is chargeable is so ascertained to cause a tax to be levied upon all of the property within the limits of the said County of each sufficient to pay off and discharge the proportionate part of the indebtedness due by the said Peach County.

“In the event of the failure or refusal of the Ordinary of Peach County to levy such tax, it shall be the duty of the Judge of the Superior Courts of the Circuit to which the said County of Peach is at-

tached to compel the Ordinary of the said Peach County to perform the duty herein required of him. In the event of the failure of the authorities of the counties from which the said Peach County is created and the Ordinary of the said Peach County to ascertain and agree upon the amount of said indebtedness, then either of said counties may bring a suit against the said County of Peach in the Superior Court of said County of Peach for the purposes of having the proportion of said debt so assumed by the said County of Peach ascertained; and the said Superior Court is hereby given power to enforce whatever judgment may be had as the result of such trial by compelling the Ordinary of said Peach County to levy a tax sufficient for the payment of the indebtedness found to be due by the County of Peach; cause the same to be collected and paid to the constituted authorities of the County or Counties from which said Peach County is created entitled to receive the same.

“It is especially provided that all ad valorem and special taxes and all other revenues realized for the year in which this amendment is adopted or ratified by the qualified voters of this State shall be applied to any indebtedness, except bonded indebtedness, due and owing by either of the counties from which the said Peach County is created; it being the purpose of this provision to fix the basis of settlement between the counties involved upon their financial condition on the 31st day of December next following the ratification of this amendment.”

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that whenever the above proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be agreed upon by two-thirds of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly and the same has been entered on their Journals, with the Ayes and Nays taken thereon, the Governor shall be, and he is, hereby authorized and instructed to cause the above proposed amendment to be published in at least two newspapers in each Congressional District of this State, for the period of two months next preceding the time of holding the next general election, and the Governor is further authorized and directed to provide for the submission of the amendment proposed for ratification or rejection to the electors of this State at the next general election to be held after such publication, at which election every person shall be qualified to vote who is entitled to vote for members of the General Assembly. All persons voting at said election in favor of adopting the said proposed amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For amendment to the Constitution creating the County of Peach;" and all persons voting at said election against the adoption of the said proposed amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the amendment to the Constitution creating the County of Peach."

If a majority of the electors qualified to vote for members of the General Assembly voting thereon

shall vote for the ratification of said proposed amendment, then the Governor shall, when he ascertains the same from the Secretary of State, to whom the returns of said election shall be referred in the manner as in cases of elections for members of the General Assembly to count and ascertain results, issue his proclamation for one insertion in one daily paper of this State, announcing such results, and declaring the amendment ratified.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are, hereby repealed.

By unanimous consent the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was unfavorable to the passage of the bill, had been disagreed to.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Branch	Cowart
Adams of Walton	Brannen	Culpepper
Anderson	Brantley	Daniel of Heard
Atkinson	Brown of Hancock	Davis of Floyd
Baldwin	Brownlee	Davis of Oglethorpe
Beck	Bush	DeFoor
Beckham	Byrd of Crisp	DeLaPerriere
Bentley	Carr	Dickerson
Blalock	Car-well	Dixon
Bleckley	Clark of Colquitt	DuBose
Bloodworth	Clark of Webster	Duncan of Dawson
Boswell	Clifton	Duncan of Hall
Bowden	Collins	Ennis
Braddy	Corbitt	Fletcher

Fowler	McDonald of	Singletary
Franks	Richmond	Smiley
Grant	McGarity	Smith of Bryan
Gresham	MacIntyre	Smith of Carroll
Griffith	McMichael	Smith of Haralson
Harris	Maddox	Strickland
Hatcher of Burke	Malone	Sumner of Johnson
Hawkins	Manning	Sumner of Wheeler
Henderson	Mason	Swindle
Hines of Decatur	Miles	Tatum
Hines of Sumter	Mixon	Thompson of Coweta
Hodges	Moore of Appling	Thompson of Dodge
Horne	Mundy	Trippe
Houser	Neal of Union	Turner
Howard of Forsyth	Nichols	Valentino
Howard of Screven	Owen	Van Landingham
Hufstetler	Parrish	Van Zant
Hullender	Patten	Wall
Hunter	Penland	Way
Hyman	Peterson	Webb
Jackson	Phillips of Jasper	Weston
Jones of Coweta	Phillips of Telfair	Whitley
Jones of Thomas	Pickren	Whitaker of Lowndes
Jones of Walker	Pilcher	Whitaker of Rockdale
Johnson of	Price	Whitworth
Chattahoochee	Pruett	Williams of Miller
Johnson of Pickens	Ramsey	Williams of Walton
King of Wilcox	Reville	Wimberly
Kittrell	Russell	Winship
Lankford of Toombs	Salmon	Woodard
Logan	Sapp	Wyatt
Luke	Shettleworth	Wynne
McDonald of Mitchell	Sibley	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Arnold	Dykes	Hatcher of Muscogee
Bowen	Evans	Herring
Boyet	Folsom	Hillhouse
Bozeman	Fey	Holland
Brown of Emanuel	Gann	Holloway
Childs	Griffin	Johnson of Bartow
Coates	Greene	Keith
Daniel of Troup	Grovenstein	Kennedy
Dobbs	Haddock	King of Jefferson

Knight	Ricketson	Tyson
Lewis	Riley	Voelle
McClure	Robinson	Walker
Mayo	Rutherford	Watkins
Moye	Smith of Meriwether	Williams of Harris
Parks	Steele	Wood
Perryman	Stovall	Worthy

Those not voting were Messrs :

Bird of Taliaferro	Guess	Moore of Fulton
Boatwright	Gunnels	Perkins
Bobo	Hamilton	Quincey
Camp	Houston	Reagan
Collier	Langford of Hall	Stone
Dudley	McClelland	Swift
Ficklen	Mann	Mr. Speaker

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 138,
Nays 48.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Valentino, of Chatham, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3:30 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following Bills and Resolutions of the House were introduced, read the first time, and referred to the committees:

By Messrs. Howard and Evans of Screven—

House Bill No. 1002. A bill to repeal an Act establishing system of public schools for Sylvania.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 1003. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Carl.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 1004. A bill to amend Section 755 of Penal Code relative to definition of cruelty.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. Clatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bill by substitute, to-wit:

House Bill No. 894. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Marietta.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills, to-wit:

House Bill No. 918. A bill to change the terms of the Wilcox Superior Court.

House Bill No. 782. A bill to create a new Charter for the City of Gainesville.

House Bill No. 902. A bill to amend an Act establishing a Board of Roads and Revenues for County of Habersham.

House Bill No. 900. A bill to repeal certain Acts relative to holding legal sales in County of Muscogee.

House Bill No. 898. A bill to amend Charter of City of Thomasville.

House Bill No. 960. A bill to amend an Act fixing the salary of the Treasurer of Franklin County.

House Bill No. 939. A bill to require the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Candler County to publish a quarterly report of expenditures.

House Bill No. 835. A bill to repeal present Charter of Cordele.

House Bill No. 597. A bill to make tax collectors of counties having a certain population ex-officio sheriffs.

House Bill No. 924. A bill to repeal an Act amending the Charter of the City of Cordele.

House Bill No. 919. A bill to repeal an Act creating Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Wilcox County.

House Bill No. 928. A bill to amend an Act to authorize the establishment of a public school system in Town of Hazelhurst.

House Bill No. 941. A bill to create the office of Roads and Revenues in the County of Jeff Davis.

House Bill No. 917. A bill to create a Board of Commissioners for Wilcox County.

House Bill No. 876. A bill to amend an Act known as the "Tatnall Board of Commissioners created."

House Bill No. 887. A bill to amend an Act creating a new Charter for City of Hawkinsville.

House Bill No. 929. A bill to fix the terms of the Superior Court of Jeff Davis County.

House Bill No. 955. A bill to change the name of the "Town of Decatur" to the "City of Decatur."

House Bill No. 880. A bill to amend an Act creating a new Charter for the City of Jeffersonville.

House Bill No. 911. A bill to amend the Charter of Nicholls, Coffee County, Georgia.

House Bill No. 842. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Mason.

House Bill No. 908. A bill to amend an Act establishing the City Court of Quitman, Georgia.

House Bill No. 912. A bill to amend an Act creating a new Charter for the Town of Rockledge.

House Bill No. 897. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of East Point.

House Bill No. 950 (912). A bill to amend an Act to amend an Act relative to the City of Rockledge.

House Bill No. 722. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Augusta.

House Bill No. 877. A bill to amend an Act known as the Tatnall Road Law adopted.

House Bill No. 896. A bill to amend the Charter of East Point.

House Bill No. 915. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the City of Adair.

House Bill No. 935. A bill to amend the Act creating the Board of Commissioners for Atkinson County.

House Bill No. 871. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Augusta.

House Bill No. 850. A bill to amend an Act creating and incorporating the City of Blackshear.

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bill, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 38. A bill to provide a uniform County Commissioners Law for certain counties.

Mr. Moore, of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 848. Do pass as amended.

MOORE of Fulton, Chairman.

Mr. Guess, of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Senate Bill No. 286.

GUESS, of DeKalb, Chairman.

Mr. DuBose, of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following Bills and Resolutions of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendations as follows:

House Bill No. 732. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 784. Do pass.

House Bill No. 839. Do pass.

House Bill No. 788. Do pass.

House Bill No. 102. Do pass.

House Bill No. 998. Do pass.

House Bill No. 753. Do pass.

House Bill No. 651. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 717. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 221. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 209. Do pass.

House Resolution No. 129. Do pass as amended.

House Bill No. 220. Do pass as amended.

Your Chairman is instructed by the Committee to report to the House that a number of bills have not been considered by the Committee for lack of time, due to the fact that the Committee has been waiting on the House to pass such revenue measures as would warrant the consideration of many matters.

Respectfully submitted,

.. DuBOISE, of Clark, Chairman.

Mr. Davis, of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following Bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 195. Do not pass.

House Bill No. 975. Do pass.

House Bill No. 976. Do pass.

House Bill No. 977. Do pass.

House Bill No. 978. Do pass.

House Bill No. 979. Do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CAMP DAVIS, of Floyd, Chairman.

Mr. Walter R. McDonald, of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following Bills and Resolutions of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

House Bill No. 999.

House Resolution No. 225 (998-A).

MCDONALD, of Richmond, Chairman.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 882.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

The following Bills and Resolutions of the House and Senate, favorably reported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Resolution No. 129 (606-B) A resolution to pay the old class pensioners for 1922.

By Mr. Webb of Lowndes—

House Resolution No. 209 (912-A). A resolution

to appropriate money to pay L. M. Stanfield for certain purposes.

By Mr. Russell of Bartow—

House Resolution No. 221 (993-A). A resolution providing for payment of Joint Committee on Board of Regents Bill.

By Mr. McDonald of Richmond—

House Resolution No. 225 (998-A). A resolution to establish a library for the Judge of the Federal Court, Southern District.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 102. A resolution appropriating money to State Negro School at Albany.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 651. A bill to appropriate money to Georgia Training School for Girls.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 717. A bill to appropriate money to State Sanitarium for cold storage plant.

By Messrs. Hines and Riley of Sumter—

House Bill No. 732. A bill to appropriate money to Third District A. & M. School.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 753. A bill to appropriate money for Hygiene and Sanitation in this State.

By Messrs. Grant of Habersham, and Bleckley of Rabun—

House Bill No. 784. A bill to appropriate money to Ninth District A. & M. School.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 788. A bill to appropriate money to N. G. A. C. at Dahlonega.

By Messrs. DuBose and Dudley of Clarke—

House Bill No. 839. A bill to appropriate money to the University of Georgia.

By Mr. Bush of Lamar—

House Bill No. 848. A bill to create Board of Education for Lamar County.

By Messrs. DeLaPerriere and Swindle of Jackson—

House Bill No. 882. A bill to abolish the office of County Treasurer for Jackson County.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 975. A bill to amend section 3033 of Code of 1910 relative to testamentary guardian.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 976. A bill to amend Section 3032 of Code of 1910 relative to natural guardian.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 977. A bill to repeal Section 4464 of Code of 1910, relative to relations of husband and wife.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 978. A bill to amend Section 3037 of Code of 1910, relative to guardians for minors.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 979. A bill to amend Section 4467 of Code of 1910, relative to spirituous liquors.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 998. A bill to appropriate money to State Board of Entomology.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 999. A bill to amend an Act to create the City Court of Cairo.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 286. A bill to amend an Act carrying into effect amendment to constitution, relative to Justice courts in City of Atlanta.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the Committees:

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 320. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Crawfordville.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Jones of 6th—

Senate Bill No. 304. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the City of Valdosta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Ellis of 47th—

Senate Bill No. 38. A bill to provide a uniform County Commissioner's Law.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

The following bills and resolutions of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 762. A bill to amend an Act creating the Municipal Court of Atlanta.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Luke of Ben Hill—

House Bill No. 107. A bill to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia relative to the elementary rudiments of vocal music.

The following Committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding after the word “music” in the 8th and 22nd lines of Section 1 the following words: “Provided that teaching the elementary rudiments of vocal music shall be optional with the county and city boards of education and not required as in the case of the other elements of an English education.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106, Nays 6.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Ridley of 28th—

Senate Resolution No. 75. A resolution providing for the acceptance of a fund from Congress for the betterment of health conditions of maternity.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 106, Nays 5.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Duncan of Hall, Smith of Haralson and others—

House Bill No. 775. A bill to empower county authorities to provide and keep in repair suitable quarters for the holding of Justice of the Peace Courts.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 114, Nays 14.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. McMichael of Marion, Kittrell of Laurens, and others—

House Bill No. 791. A bill to confer upon the several counties of this State the authority to levy taxes for educational purposes and for other purposes.

Mr. Howard of Forsyth moved the previous ques-

tion; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill Mr. Harris, of Jefferson, call for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Davis of Floyd	Hyman
Arnold	DeLaPerriere	Jackson
Atkinson	Dickerson	Jones of Coweta
Beck	Dobbs	Jones of Thomas
Beckham	Dykes	Jones of Walker
Bentley	Evans	Johnson of Bartow
Bleckley	Folsom	Johnson of
Bloodworth	Fowler	Chattahoochee
Boswell	Grant	Johnson of Pickens
Bowden	Gresham	Kennedy
Bowen	Griffith	King of Jefferson
Boyett	Gunnels	Kittrell
Bozeman	Harris	Lankford of Toombs
Braddy	Hatcher of Burke	Luke
Branch	Hatcher of Muscogee	McClure
Brannen	Hawkins	McDonald of Mitchell
Brantley	Henderson	McDonald of
Brown of Emanuel	Herring	Richmond
Brown of Hancock	Hillhouse	MacIntyre
Brownlee	Hines of Sumter	McMichael
Byrd of Crisp	Holloway	Maddox
Camp	Houser	Mason
Carr	Houston	Mayo
Clark of Webster	Howard of Screven	Miles
Clifton	Hufstetler	Moore of Fulton
Coates	Hullender	Moye
Cowart	Hunter	Mundy

Nichols	Sapp	Tyson
Owen	Shettlesworth	Valentino
Parks	Sibley	Van Landingham
Parrish	Singletery	Van Zant
Penland	Smith of Carroll	Vocelle
Peterson	Smith of Meriwether	Wall
Phillips of Jasper	Steele	Whitworth
Phillips of Telfair	Stovall	Williams of Harris
Pruett	Strickland	Williams of Walton
Riley	Sumner of Wheeler	Woodard
Robinson	Thompson of Coweta	Wynne
Russell	Trippe	
Salmon	Turner	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Holland	Smiley
Anderson	Howard of Forsyth	Smith of Bryan
Bobo	Knight	Sumner of Johnson
Clark of Colquitt	Lewis	Tatum
Collier	Malone	Thompson of Dodge
Daniel of Troup	Manning	Walker
Duncan of Hall	Moore of Appling	Way
Ficklen	Neal of Union	Webb
Foy	Patten	Whitley
Franks	Pickren	Whitaker of Lowndes
Griffin	Pilcher	Whitaker of Rockdale
Grovenstein	Price	Williams of Miller
Haddock	Ramsey	Wimberly
Hines of Decatur	Reagan	
Hodges	Ricketson	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Baldwin	Daniel of Heard	Greene
Bird of Taliaferro	Davis of Oglethorpe	Guess
Blalock	DeFoor	Hamilton
Boatwright	Dixon	Horne
Bush	DuBose	Keith
Carswell	Dudley	King of Wilcox
Childs	Duncan of Dawson	Langford of Hall
Collins	Ennis	Logan
Corbitt	Fletcher	McClelland
Culpepper	Gann	McGarity

Mann	Rutherford	Weston
Mixon	Smith of Haralson	Winship
Perkins	Stone	Wood
Perryman	Swift	Worthy
Quincey	Swindle	Wyatt
Reville	Watkins	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 116, Nays 43.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 43.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Robinson, of Macon, gave notice that at the proper time he would move that the House reconsider its action in passing Senate Bill No. 1.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Wall of Putnam—

House Resolution No. 157. A resolution providing for operation of a factory for manufacture of calcium arsenate, and for other purposes.

Mr. Beck of Carroll moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to, and the bill was lost.

Mr. Fay, of Taylor, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 690. A bill declaring it a misdemeanor to make, draw, or utter a check with intent to defraud.

Mr. Moore of Appling moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 674. A bill to withdraw the privilege of admission to the Georgia bar by diploma alone.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill Mr. Hyman, of Washington, called for the Ayes and Nays.

Mr. Horne of Dodge moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Woodard of Cook.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

Monday, August 14th, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Werthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

The Journal of yesterday's proceedings was read.

Mr. Pickren, of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 1000.

House Bill No. 1001.

House Bill No. 1002.

Senate Bill No. 320.

PICKREN, of Charlton, Chairman.

Mr. Walter R. McDonald, of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following bills of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 209.

Senate Bill No. 221.

MCDONALD, of Richmond, Chairman.

Mr. Smith, of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bill of the House and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 1003.

SMITH, of Meriwether, Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, delivered the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions, to-wit:

House Bill No. 928. An Act to amend an Act establishing system of public schools in Hazelhurst.

House Bill No. 919. An Act to repeal an Act creating Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Wilcox county.

House Bill No. 912. An Act to amend an Act creating new charter for Town of Rockledge.

House Bill No. 960. An Act to amend an Act fixing salary of Treasurer of Franklin County.

House Bill No. 782. An Act to amend by substitution Act incorporating the City of Gainesville.

House Bill No. 939. An Act requiring certain duties of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Candler county.

House Bill No. 597. An Act to repeal Act to make tax collectors of certain Counties Ex-officio Sheriffs.

House Bill No. 908. An Act to amend an Act establishing City Court of Quitman.

House Bill No. 918. An Act to change the terms of Wilcox Superior Court.

House Bill No. 850. An Act to amend an Act incorporating the City of Blackshear.

House Bill No. 941. An Act to create the office of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Jeff Davis County.

House Bill No. 911. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Nicholls.

House Bill No. 758. An Act to amend the charter of the City of College Park.

House Bill No. 935. An Act to amend the Act creating Board of Commissioners for Atkinson County.

House Bill No. 887. An Act to amend an Act creating a new charter for the City of Hawkinsville.

House Bill No. 876. An Act to amend an Act known as the Tattnall Board of Commissioners.

House Bill No. 842. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Macon.

House Bill No. 915. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Adrian.

House Bill No. 896. An Act to amend the charter of the City of East Point, relative to civil service and police department.

House Bill No. 871. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Augusta, relative to Board of Health.

House Bill No. 897. An Act to amend the charter of the city of East Point.

House Bill No. 955. An Act to change the name of the town of Decatur to city of Decatur.

House Bill No. 835. An Act to establish a new charter for the city of Cordele.

House Bill No. 898. An Act to amend the charter of the city of Thomasville.

House Bill No. 880. An Act to amend the charter of the city of Jeffersonville.

House Bill No. 929. An Act to fix the terms of the Superior Court of Jeff Davis County.

House Bill No. 950. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Blue Ridge.

House Bill No. 877. An Act to amend the Tattnall Road Law.

House Bill No. 933. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Eastman.

House Bill No. 917. An Act to create a Board of Commissioners for the County of Wilcox.

House Bill No. 900. An Act to repeal Acts relative to holding legal sales in Muscogee County.

House Bill No. 902. An Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Habersham and Lowndes.

House Bill No. 924. An Act to repeal an Act amending the charter of the City of Cordele Georgia.

House Bill No. 722. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Augusta.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed as amended by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 260. A bill to change the name of the Railroad Commission to the Georgia Public Service Commission.

The Senate has also passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 303. A bill to amend Act creating new charter for City of Tifton.

Senate Bill No. 269. A bill for the protection of Game Animals.

The following bills of the House and Senate favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 1000. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Abbeville.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 1001. A bill to amend the charter of the city of Abbeville.

By Messrs. Howard and Evans of Screven—

House Bill No. 1002. A bill to repeal an Act establishing a system of public schools for Sylvania.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow:

House Bill No. 1003. A bill to amend the charter of the Town of Carl.

By Mr. Snow of the 7th—

Senate Bill No. 209. A bill to repeal an Act abolishing fee system of Southern Judicial Circuit.

By Mr. Snow of the 7th—

Senate Bill No. 221. A bill to abolish the fee system in Southern Judicial Circuit, relative to office of Solicitor-General.

By Mr. Goluke of the 19th—

Senate Bill No. 320. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Crawfordville.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By unanimous consent all uncontested local bills passed at today's session were ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 997. A bill to repeal an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Jeff Davis.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. DeLaPerriere and Swindle of Jackson—

House Bill No. 882. A bill to abolish the office of County Treasurer of Jackson County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bush of Lamar—

House Bill No. 848. A bill to create a Board of Education of Lamar County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Singletary of Grady—

House Bill No. 999. A bill to amend an Act to create City Court of Cairo.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. McClelland of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 996. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Bradley of Glascock—

House Bill No. 995. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a Commissioner of Roads and Revenues of Glascock.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 111, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Sheffield of 9th—

Senate Bill No. 278. A bill to amend an Act relating to the Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Early County.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking figures “\$2.00” in second line Section 24, and insert in lieu thereof “\$3.00.”

Amend by striking all that portion of Section 2C down to the word “all” in fourth line, having only the repealing clause in said Section.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

House Bill No. 286. A bill to amend an Act to carry into effect in the City of Atlanta the provisions of an Act amending the Constitution relative to the abolition of Justice Courts.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 114, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. McDonald of Richmond—

House Resolution No. 225. A resolution to establish a library for Judge of Federal Court Southern District at Augusta, Georgia.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

Mr. McDonald, of Richmond, moved that the House reconsider its action in agreeing to the report of the committee and the motion prevailed.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. McDonald of Richmond—

Amend by providing that this shall apply to only subsequent publications.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 23.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the following resolutions of the House were introduced, read, and adopted:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 227. Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we thank most heartily the City of Brunswick, her officials and citizens generally for the splendid reception and cordial treatment which we received at their hands on the occasion of our recent visit to them, and for

the opportunity afforded us of viewing the magnificent harbor of this splendid port and its large industrial enterprises. The possibilities for the development of the State owned port at Brunswick have been so impressed upon us that we feel careful consideration should be given to the advantages offered here, before a decision is reached as to the designation of the proposed State port and terminal.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 228. *Whereas*, The Honorable Burton L. Weston of Brooks County did on yesterday join the Ancient and Benevolent Order of Benedicts.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, That this House extend its most hearty congratulations and good wishes to the gentleman from Brooks and his better half.

Be it Further Resolved, That said gentleman is relieved from attendance of all night sessions of this House.

Under the order of unfinished business, the following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 674. A bill to withdraw the privilege of admission to the Georgia bar by diploma alone.

The bill having been read the third time and the report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, having been agreed to, the bill was placed upon its passage.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 14.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Under orders of the day, the following bills of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 65. A bill relating to placing of children by persons other than the parents or relatives of such children, and for other purposes.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to regulate the placing out of children by persons other than the parents or relatives of such children; prescribing certain records to be kept and conditions to be observed by persons authorized by law to secure homes for children; regulating the bringing into or taking

out of the State of children for the purpose of placing-out; requiring persons placing children to comply with regulations and secure a license from the Judge of the Superior Court; conferring certain powers upon and prescribing certain duties of the Board of public welfare and making appropriation to cover same, and making certain violations of this Act unlawful, and for other purposes:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia and it is hereby enacted by authority of same that no person, agency, hospital, maternity home, or institution, or official, public or private in this State shall receive or accept a child, under sixteen years of age, for placement or adoption, or place such a child either temporarily or permanently, in a home other than the home of the child's relatives within the second degree, or solicit money in behalf of such agency, unless it has received a license from the Judge of Superior Court of the circuit in which the person or agency has headquarters, issued after the passage of this Act in compliance with the provisions set forth herein.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that no such license shall be issued unless the person, agency, hospital, institution or official, is competent and equipped to comply with the provisions of Section 4 of this Act.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that applications for child placing license

must be filed in duplicate with the Judge of the Superior Court on forms furnished by the State Board of Public Welfare, by all persons, agencies, hospitals, maternity homes, institutions or public or private officials now engaged in child placing on or before January 1, 1923; and by others thereafter who may desire to engage in child placing. It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Superior Court to furnish a copy of each application for child placing license to the Board of Public Welfare within five days after such application is filed, and no license shall be granted or denied until six months after such copy has been thus transmitted. It shall also be the duty of the Clerk of the Superior Court to furnish the State Board of Public Welfare with a copy of each child placing license granted by the Judge of the Court.

A period of six months time after application for child placing license has been filed shall be allowed by the Judge, during which time applicants may place children under the provisions of the Act. Only one six months period of time shall be granted to an applicant.

For the purpose of Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 of this Act, the State Board of Public Welfare shall carefully ascertain the competency and equipment of each applicant for a child placing license and submit its findings to the Judge within six months after the date of each application. Said Board shall make similar inquiries into the child placing work of

licensed persons or agencies at least once each year and report its findings to the Superior Court.

SEC. 4. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that the holder of a license shall:

(a) Never place a child in a foster home or boarding home without previously becoming carefully acquainted with (1) the conditions which call for placement of the child, making diligent effort to avoid separation from the parents, and afterwards removing the child only when this action is found necessary in order to prevent serious detriment to the welfare of the child; (2) the home in which the child is to be placed, taking every proper precaution to place children only in homes where they will receive the proper care and training.

(b) Inquire carefully into the care of the child in its new home, at least once during the first two months, twice during the first six months and twice in every year thereafter unless the child is legally adopted, or until the child reaches the age of eighteen years; and remove any child promptly from a home where it is mistreated or neglected.

(c) Report immediately to the Board of Public Welfare every child received by the agency or institution, or born in the institution, and every child placed, together with such information regarding the child, its family, and the foster home as the Board may require. Such report to be filed within ten days of such receipt, birth or placement. The Board of Public Welfare shall supply the Superior

Court with forms for issuing licenses and the child placing licenses with record and report forms to be used as required in this Section.

SEC. 5. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that proof of failure to comply with the above regulations shall be grounds for revocation of the license by the Judge, upon ten days written notice to the licensee, and opportunity to answer charges at a formal hearing. Upon the filing of a petition for revocation of license, the Superior Court shall in every instance proceed with notice and hearing on the petition.

SEC. 6. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that for the purposes of Section 3, 4 and 5 the Board of Public Welfare may ascertain by visit of its agents or otherwise if necessary, the character of any private home or private boarding home in which children are placed or boarded, either temporarily or permanently by any person or agency. Whenever the Board shall find that a child has been placed in an improper home, the agency placing the child shall be notified by the State Board of Public Welfare and if the child is not removed within a reasonable time, the Board shall institute proceedings before the proper court for its removal and placement in a proper home.

SEC. 7. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that no person, as an inducement to a woman to go to any maternity hospital or home during confinement, shall in any way offer to dispose of

any child or advertise that he will give children for adoption or hold himself out as being able to dispose of children in any manner or permit any child to be left or abandoned in such maternity home, hospital or private home by its mother or any other person unless such hospital or home is duly licensed to place children under this Act.

SEC. 8. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that no child placed by an agency under this Act shall be legally adopted into its foster home until he has lived six months in said foster home, nor thereafter without written permission of the person or agency responsible for the placement.

SEC. 9. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that no person shall bring or send into the State any child for the purpose of placing him out or procuring his adoption, without first filing notice with the State Board of Public Welfare. He shall file with the Board a bond to the State for each child, approved by the Board, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars, conditioned that he will not send or bring into the State any child who is incorrigible or unsound of mind or body; that he will remove any such child who becomes a public charge or who, in the opinion of the Board of Public Welfare, becomes a menace to the community prior to his adoption or becoming the legal age; that the person with whom the child is placed shall be responsible for his proper care and training. Before any child shall be brought or sent into the State for the purpose of placing him in a foster home, the person so bringing or sending

such child shall first notify the State Board of Public Welfare, of his intention, and shall obtain from the Board a certificate stating that such home is, in the opinion of the Board, a suitable home for the child. Such notification shall state the name, age and personal description of the child, and the name and address of the person with whom the child is to be placed, and such other information as may be required by the Board. The person bringing or sending the child into the State shall report at least once each year, and such other times as the Board of Public Welfare shall direct, as to the location and well-being of the child so long as he shall remain within the State and until he shall have reached the age of eighteen or shall have been legally adopted.

Section 10. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that no officer or authorized agent of the State Board of Public Welfare, or any of its agents, or a holder of a child placing license, or any other person, shall directly or indirectly disclose the contents of the records herein provided for, or the particulars entered therein, of facts learned about such homes, or the inmates thereof, except upon inquiry before a court of law, at a coroner's inquest or before some other tribunal, or for information of the State Board of Public Welfare. Provided, however, that nothing herein shall prohibit the holder of the license or the Board of Public Welfare disclosing such facts to such proper persons as may be in the interest of any child.

Section 11. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Act, or who shall make any false statements or reports to the Board of Public Welfare with reference to the matters contained herein, and any parent or guardian or person receiving a child who shall give a false name or address to the Board of Public Welfare, or any agency licensed under this Act, shall, upon conviction, be guilty of misdemeanor.

Section 12. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$5,000.00 annually to the State Board of Public Welfare, for the purpose of carrying out the duties imposed upon said Board by this Act, in addition to any other appropriations allotted to said Board.

Section 13. The Judge shall direct the Clerk to enter all orders and proceedings under this Act on the minutes of the Superior Court and the Clerk shall be paid such fees as clerks are allowed for similar services to be paid out of the appropriation for the Department of Public Welfare upon the certificate of the Judge.

Section 14. If for any reason the Judge of the Circuit is disqualified the duties imposed by this Act may be discharged by any qualified Judge of the Superior Court who shall order the proceedings entered on the minutes of the Superior Court of the proper county.

Section 15. If any section, clause or sentence of this Act is declared invalid the remainder of the Act shall be valid notwithstanding.

Section 16. All Acts and parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

The following amendment to the substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

Amend by striking Section 12 of said bill so as to eliminate mention of an appropriation of \$5,000 and to renumber the sections accordingly.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 1.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Foy of Taylor—

House Bill No. 562. A bill to repeal an Act to prevent the shipment or movement of tick-infested cattle into, within or through the State of Georgia and for other purposes.

Mr. Green, of Jones, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

An Act to amend an Act entitled “ an Act to prevent the shipment or movement of tick infested cattle into, within, or through the State of Georgia; to provide for statewide tick eradication throughout the State of Georgia; to provide for the expense of conducting the work in the several counties; to provide processes to compel compliance by county officials with the provisions of this Act, and of orders and regulations of the Georgia Department of Agriculture, and for the State Veterinarian; to provide penalties for violation of this Act; and for other purposes” by adding to said Act a new section to be known as Section 6 (a), providing that none of the provisions of said Act shall apply to any county in this State not heretofore having been declared tick free until a two-thirds vote of a grand jury regularly setting therein shall so recommend to provide for shipment of cattle from tick-infested counties upon dipping and inspection as now required by Federal law to exempt from inspection dressed meats and salt and flint hides.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that from and after the passage of this

Act, that the Act of the General Assembly of Georgia, approved August 17, 1918, and contained in Acts of the General Assembly, 1918, pages 256-59, inclusive, known as the "Tick Eradication Law," be and the same is hereby amended by adding a new section to said Act, to be known as Section 6 (a) and as follows:

Section 6 (a). Provided, however, that none of the provisions of this Act shall apply to any county in this State that has not already been declared tick-free, until a two-thirds vote of the grand jury regularly sitting shall so recommend (the statement of the grand jury as to the result of such vote being sufficient), and providing further that shipment of beef cattle from such tick-infested counties shall be allowed by the State Veterinarian upon compliance of the owner or owners with the Federal laws in such cases made and provided, and provided further that the provisions of this Act shall in no wise interfere with the shipment of dressed meats and salt and flint hides.

Provided further, that when tick-free counties, or counties engaged in county wide dipping, border on counties not tick-free that the line between such counties shall be a quarantine line which shall be maintained by the counties under quarantine until such line is removed by such other counties becoming tick-free.

Provided further, that the provisions of Section 6 (a) shall not go into effect as to counties not now

tick-free, but now engaged in county wide dipping, until January 1, 1923.

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

The following amendment to the substitute was read and adopted:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

Amend by adding the following proviso: “Provided that the county or counties within the exempted territory shall build a double barbed wire fence on the quarantine line of the tick-free territory; and the double fence shall be built at the expense of the county or counties in the exempted territory under the specifications and directions of the State Veterinarian.”

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106, Nays 29.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed by substitute as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Brannen and Parrish of Bullock—

House Resolution No. 148. A resolution to authorize sale of certain lands owned by the State for benefit of 1st District A. and M. School.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 108, Nays 3.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the resolution was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 931. A bill to amend an Act to aid in the establishment and maintenance of public schools in each county of this State.

The following Committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking out the words "Rental of the Western and Atlantic Railroad," and substituting therefor the words "General School Fund."

Mr. Green, of Jones, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 10.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Bill No. 757. A bill to permit cities and counties to issue bonds to construct joint high schools.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Robinson, of Macon, moved that the House reconsider its action in passing Senate Bill No. 1, and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

House Bill No. 759. A bill to prohibit the growing of cotton in State for year 1924 and each second year thereafter.

Mr. Swindle, of Jackson moved that the bill, substitutes, and amendments be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Hamilton of Floyd—

House Bill No. 675. A bill to define the liability of hotel keepers.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 104, Nays 1.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Mason of Hart—

House Bill No. 734. A bill giving all counties in this State the right to establish and maintain free public libraries, and for other purposes.

Mr. Moore, of Appling, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

By Messrs. Bentley, Holloway and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 592. A bill to amend the Constitution relative to the abolition of certain county officers and to provide salaries in lieu thereof.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, having been agreed to the bill was up for passage.

Mr. Rutherford of Monroe moved that the House reconsider its action in agreeing to the report of the Committee and the motion was lost.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Evans	Johnson of Bartow
Adams of Walton	Folsom	Johnson of
Arnold	Fowler	Chattahoochee
Beck	Gann	Keith
Beckham	Gresham	Kennedy
Bentley	Griffith	King of Jefferson
Bird of Taliaferro	Grovenstein	Knight
Boswell	Guess	Lewis
Bowen	Haddock	McClelland
Boyett	Hatcher of Burke	McClure
Brantley	Hatcher of Muscogee	McDonald of Mitchell
Brown of Emanuel	Hawkins	McGarity
Brown of Hancock	Holloway	MacIntyre
Brownlee	Horne	McMichael
Carr	Howard of Forsyth	Maddox
Collier	Hullender	Malone
Cowart	Hunter	Manning
Dobbs	Hyman	Miles
DuBose	Jones of Coweta	Moore of Appling
Dudley	Jones of Thomas	Moore of Fulton

Moye	Sibley	Van Landingham
Mundy	Smith of Bryan	Vocelle
Nichols	Steele	Way
Parks	Stovall	Webb
Parrish	Strickland	Whitley
Patten	Sumner of Wheeler	Whitaker of Lowndes
Perryman	Swift	Whitaker of Rockdale
Phillips of Jasper	Tatum	Williams of Harris
Phillips of Telfair	Thompson of Coweta	Winship
Pruett	Turner	Wynne
Rutherford	Tyson	
Sapp	Valentino	

Those voting in the Negative were Messrs:

Anderson	Foy	Neal of Union
Bloodworth	Franks	Owen
Bobo	Grant	Penland
Braddy	Griffin	Peterson
Branch	Greene	Pickren
Brannen	Harris	Pilcher
Byrd of Crisp	Henderson	Price
Camp	Herring	Quincey
Childs	Hillhouse	Ramsey
Clark of Colquitt	Hines of Decatur	Reville
Clark of Webster	Hines of Sumter	Riley
Coates	Hodges	Salmon
Corbitt	Holland	Shettlesworth
Culpepper	Houser	Smith of Carroll
Daniel of Heard	Howard of Screven	Smith of Haralson
Daniel of Troup	Jackson	Watkins
Davis of Oglethorpe	Jones of Walker	Williams of Miller
DeFoor	Johnson of Pickens	Wimberly
Dixon	Lankford of Toombs	Wood
Duncan of Dawson	McDonald of	Wyatt
Duncan of Hall	Richmond	
Ficklen	Mason	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Atkinson	Bowden	Collins
Baldwin	Bozeman	Davis of Floyd
Blalock	Bush	DeLaPerriere
Bleckley	Carswell	Dickerson
Boatwright	Clifton	Dykes
		Ennis

Fletcher	Mixon	Thompson of Dodge
Gunnels	Perkins	Trippe
Hamilton	Reagan	Van Zant
Houston	Ricketson	Walker
Hufstetler	Robinson	Wall
King of Wilcox	Russell	Weston
Kittrell	Singletary	Whitworth
Langford of Hall	Smiley	Williams of Walton
Logan	Smith of Meriwether	Woodard
Luke	Stone	Werthy
Mann	Sumner of Johnson	Mr. Speaker
Mayo	Swindle	

Ayes 93, Nays 63.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 93, Nays 63.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

By unanimous consent all bills passed this morning were ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION,

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following bill of the House was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Committee:

By Mr. Summer of Johnson—

House Bill No. 1005. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Tom School District in Emanuel and Johnson Counties.

Mr. DuBose of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriation and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following resolution of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Resolution No. 185.

DuBOSE, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills to-wit:

House Bill No. 843. A bill to permit the County of Bibb to support the Macon Hospital.

House Bill No. 937. A bill to amend Parks Code applicable only to Carroll County.

House Bill No. 943. A bill to amend an Act creating a Board of Roads and Revenues for the County of Appling.

House Bill No. 951. A bill to amend an Act to establish a Board of Roads and Revenues for the County of Appling.

House Bill No. 954. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

House Bill No. 968. A bill to create the City Court of Decatur.

The following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill No. 159. A bill to revise the present law creating the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy.

Senate Bill No. 322. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Tom School District in Emanuel and Johnson Counties.

The following resolution of the House, favorably reported by the Committee, was read the second time:

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 185. A resolution to correct

error in appropriation bill of 1921 relative to amount appropriated for control of hog cholera.

The following bills of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Trippe of Bartow—

House Bill No. 767. A bill to provide for giving notice to persons and corporations whose names are sought to be used as a corporation, and for other purposes.

The following Committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by adding at the end of Section 1 the following words: "Provided that the provisions of this Act shall apply only to secret or fraternal societies, orders, or lodges, and where the words 'person,' 'order,' 'lodge,' 'society,' or, corporation,' are used in this Act they shall be used in this sense."

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110, Nays 9.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Neill, Hatcher, and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Bill No. 936. A bill to provide for municipal corporations to hold recorders court in the absence of the Recorder, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 112, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Moore, Holloway, and Bentley of Fulton—

House Bill No. 720. A bill to amend Section 3353 of Code of 1910 amending the lien law of Georgia.

Mr. Harris of Jefferson moved that the bill be tabled and the motion was lost.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until 8 o'clock tonight.

On this motion Mr. MacIntyre of Thomas moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until tonight at 8 o'clock prevailed.

Mr. Wyatt of Troups moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the report of the Committee on Rules be amended so as to place House Resolution No. 129 on the Calendar set by said Committee to immediately follow House Bill No. 579.

On this motion Mr. Rutherford of Monroe called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Clark of Colquitt	Guess
Anderson	Coates	Gunnels
Atkinson	Collier	Haddock
Baldwin	Corbitt	Hamilton
Beck	Culpepper	Hatcher of Burke
Beckham	Daniel of Heard	Hawkins
Bird of Taliaferro	Daniel of Troup	Henderson
Bleckley	Davis of Oglethorpe	Herring
Bloodworth	DeFoor	Hillhouse
Boatwright	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Sumter
Bobo	Dykes	Hodges
Boyett	Ennis	Holland
Braddy	Evans	Holloway
Branch	Ficklen	Horne
Brown of Emanuel	Folsom	Howard of Forsyth
Brownlee	Foy	Howard of Screven
Byrd of Crisp	Franks	Hullender
Camp	Grant	Hyman
Carr	Greene	Jones of Coweta
Childs	Grovenstein	Jones of Walker

Johnson of Bartow	Parrish	Singletary
Johnson of Chattahoochee	Patten	Smiley
Johnson of Pickens	Penland	Smith of Bryan
King of Wilcox	Peterson	Smith of Carroll
Kittrell	Phillips of Jasper	Stone
Knight	Phillips of Telfair	Stovall
Lewis	Pickren	Sumner of Wheeler
Logan	Pilcher	Tatum
McClure	Price	Thompson of Coweta
McGarity	Pruett	Valentino
Maddox	Quincey	Vocelle
Malone	Ramsey	Watkins
Manning	Reagan	Webb
Mayo	Reville	Whitley
Miles	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
Mixon	Riley	Whitworth
Moore of Appling	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Moye	Salmon	Wood
Neal of Union	Sapp	Worthy
Owen	Shettlesworth	Wyatt
	Sibley	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Arnold	Fowler	Mason
Bentley	Gann	Mundy
Boswell	Griffin	Nichols
Bowen	Harris	Parks
Bozeman	Hines of Decatur	Smith of Meriwether
Brantley	Hunter	Steele
Carswell	Jones of Thomas	Sumner of Johnson
Clark of Webster	Keith	Trippe
Collins	Kennedy	Turner
Dickerson	King of Jefferson	Tyson
Dobbs	Luke	Van Landingham
DuBose	McDonald of Mitchell	Way
Dudley	MacIntyre	Whitaker of Lowndes

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Brown of Hancock	Davis of Floyd
Blalock	Bush	DeLaPerriere
Bowden	Clifton	Dixon
Brannen	Cowart	Duncan of Hall

Fletcher	McMichael	Walker
Gresham	Mann	Wall
Griffith	Moore of Fulton	Weston
Hatcher of Muscogee	Perkins	Williams of Harris
Houser	Perryman	Williams of Miller
Houston	Robinson	Wimberly
Hufstetler	Russell	Winship
Jackson	Smith of Haralson	Woodard
Langford of Hall	Strickland	Mr. Speaker
Lankford of Toombs	Swift	
McClelland	Swindle	
McDonald of	Thompson of Dodge	
Richmond	Van Zant	

Ayes 122, Nays 39.

The roll call was verified.

On the motion to amend the report of the Committee on Rules the Ayes were 122, Nays 39, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Waktins, of Butts, moved that the House reconsider its action in voting that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until tonight at 8 o'clock.

On this motion Mr. Henderson, of White, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion to reconsider was lost.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

House Bill No. 579. A bill to supply a deficiency in the school funds caused by misappropriation of funds by R. N. Berrien.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House

and the Speaker designated Mr. Moore, of Fulton, as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through its Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Mr. Moore, of Appling, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Catswell	Guess
Anderson	Childs	Gunnels
Arnold	Clark of Colquitt	Haddock
Atkinson	Clark of Webster	Hamilton
Baldwin	Collins	Harris
Beck	Daniel of Heard	Hatcher of Burke
Beckham	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hawkins
Bird of Taliaferro	Dickerson	Henderson
Bleckley	Dobbs	Herring
Boatwright	DuBose	Hines of Decatur
Boswell	Dudley	Hines of Sumter
Bowen	Ennis	Holland
Beyett	Evans	Holloway
Bozeman	Folsom	Horne
Braddy	Foy	Houser
Branch	Frank's	Howard of Forsyth
Brannen	Gann	Hullender
Brantley	Gresham	Hunter
Brown of Emanuel	Griffin	Hyman
Brown of Hancock	Greene	Jones of Coweta
Carr	Grovenstein	Jones of Walker

Johnson of Bartow	Mayo	Salmon
Johnson of Chattahoochee	Miles	Sapp
Johnson of Pickens	Mixon	Sibley
Keith	Moore of Appling	Smiley
Kennedy	Moore of Fulton	Smith of Bryan
King of Jefferson	Mundy	Smith of Carroll
King of Wilcox	Nichols	Smith of Haralson
Kittrell	Owen	Steele
Knight	Parks	Strickland
Lewis	Parrish	Sumner of Wheeler
Logan	Patten	Tatum
McClelland	Penland	Thompson of Coweta
McClure	Perryman	Tripp
McDonald of Mitchell	Peterson	Turner
McDonald of Richmond	Phillips of Jasper	Valentino
	Pickren	Van Landingham
	Pilcher	Vocelle
McGarity	Price	Way
McMichael	Pruett	Whitaker of Rockdale
Maddox	Reagan	Whitworth
Malone	Reville	Williams of Walton
Mann	Ricketson	Wood
Manning	Russell	Wyatt

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Bloodworth	Hillhouse	Ramsey
Bobo	Hodges	Riley
Brownlee	Howard of Screven	Rutherford
Byrd of Crisp	Jones of Thomas	Stone
Collier	MacIntyre	Stovall
Culpepper	Moye	Swift
Ficklen	Neal of Union	
Grant	Quincey	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Coates	Dixon
Bentley	Corbitt	Duncan of Dawson
Blalock	Cowart	Duncan of Hall
Bowden	Daniel of Troup	Dykes
Bush	Davis of Floyd	Fletcher
Camp	DeFoor	Fowler
Clifton	DeLaPerriere	Griffith

Hatcher of Muscogee	Singleary	Whitley
Houston	Smith of Meriwether	Whitaker of Lowndes
Hufstetler	Sumner of Johnson	Williams of Harris
Jackson	Swindle	Wimberly
Langford of Hall	Thompson of Dodge	Whitley
Lankford of Toombs	Tyson	Williams of Miller
Luke	Van Zant	Winship
Mason	Walker	Woodard
Perkins	Wall	Worthy
Phillips of Telfair	Watkins	Wynne
Robinson	Webb	Mr. Speaker
Shettlesworth	Weston	

Ayes 130, Nays 22.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 130, Nays 22.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Dobbs, of Cobb County, Chairman of the Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on University of Georgia and Its Branches have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass.

House Bill No. 949.

C. B. DOBBS, Chairman.

Mr. Turner, of Brooks County, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Highways have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute.

Senate Bill No. 236.

TURNER of Brooks, Chairman.

Mr. Tatum, of Dade County, Chairman of the Committee on Railroads, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Railroads have had under consideration the following Bills and Resolutions of the House and Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass:

House Bill No. 330.

House Bill No. 238.

House Resolution No. 38.

Senate Resolution No. 84.

TATUM of Dade, Chairman.

Mr. DuBose, of Clarke County, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Appropriations and Ways and Means have had under consideration the following Bill of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Bill No. 760. Do pass.

DuBOSE of Clarke, Chairman.

Mr. VanLandingham, of Seminole County, Chairman of the Committee on Banks and Banking, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Banks and Banking have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 277.

VANLANDINGHAM of Seminole, Chairman.

Mr. Guess, of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following Resolution of the House and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

House Resolution No. 224.

CARL N. GUESS of DeKalb, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 257. A bill to be entitled an Act to promote Forestry interest in the State of Georgia under the direction of Georgia State Board of Forestry and for other purposes.

The following Bills and Resolutions of the House, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Beckham of Dougherty—

House Resolution No. 185. A resolution to correct error in the General Appropriation Bill of 1921.

By Mr. Wimberly of Laurens—

House Resolution No. 224 (996-A). A resolution to relieve bondsmen on bond of E. P. Woodward.

By Mr. Smith of Bryan—

House Bill No. 760. A bill to appropriate money for repair of State Sanatorium for Tubercular patients.

By Mr. Wall of the Fifth—

Senate Bill No. 236. A bill to amend the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law, relative to licenses.

By Mr. Brown of the 50th—

Senate Bill No. 277. A bill to amend Section 1249 of Code of 1910, relative to State Depositories so as to include the town of Crawford, in Oglethorpe County.

The following Bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Ridley of the 28th—

Senate Bill No. 159. A bill to revise the present laws creating the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy.

Referred to the Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation.

By Messrs. Ellis of the 47th, Mills of the 26th, and Snow of the 7th—

Senate Bill No. 257. A bill to promote Forestry interests in this State.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary.

By Messrs. Brown of the 50th, and Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 269. A bill for the protection of Game and Fish in this State.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Ellis of the 47th—

Senate Bill No. 303. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Tifton.

Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Roundtree of the 16th—

Senate Bill No. 322. A bill to repeal the Act incorporating the Tom School District.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

The following Resolution of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Resolution No. 129. A resolution to pay the "old" class pensioners \$226,700.00 for 1922, and the "new" class pensioners \$975,000.00 for 1922.

Mr. Arnold, of Clay, moved that the House instruct the Committee of the Whole House that debate on this resolution be limited to one hour, thirty minutes to each side.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion, moved that the House instruct the Committee of the Whole House that debate on this resolution be limited to thirty minutes, fifteen minutes to the side, and the motion prevailed.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Davis, of Oglethorpe, as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

Mr. Beckham, of Dougherty, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

All amendments were lost.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

Mr. Davis, of Oglethorpe, moved that the House reconsider its action in ordering the main question and the motion was lost.

The resolution involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Grant	McGarity
Anderson	Griffin	McMichael
Baldwin	Greene	Maddox
Beck	Grovenstein	Malone
Beckham	Guess	Manning
Bleckley	Gunnels	Mason
Bloodworth	Haddock	Mayo
Boatwright	Hamilton	Miles
Bobo	Harris	Mixon
Boyett	Hatcher of Burke	Moye
Bozeman	Hawkins	Mundy
Braddy	Henderson	Neal of Union
Branch	Herring	Owen
Brannen	Hillhouse	Parrish
Brown of Emanuel	Hines of Decatur	Patten
Brown of Hancock	Hines of Sumter	Penland
Brownlee	Hodges	Perryman
Byrd of Crisp	Holland	Peterson
Carr	Holloway	Phillips of Jasper
Carwell	Horne	Phillips of Telfair
Childs	Howard of Forsyth	Pickren
Clark of Colquitt	Howard of Screven	Pilcher
Clark of Webster	Hullender	Price
Coates	Hyman	Pruett
Collier	Jones of Coweta	Quincey
Collins	Jones of Walker	Ramsey
Corbitt	Johnson of Bartow	Reagan
Culpepper	Johnson of	Reville
Daniel of Heard	Chattahoochee	Ricketson
Daniel of Troup	Johnson of Pickens	Riley
Davis of Oglethorpe	Kennedy	Russell
DeLaPerriere	King of Jefferson	Rutherford
Dickerson	King of Wilcox	Salmon
Dobbs	Kittrell	Sapp
Dykes	Knight	Sibley
Ennis	Lewis	Smiley
Evans	Logan	Smith of Bryan
Ficklen	McClelland	Smith of Carroll
Folsom	McClure	Smith of Haralson
Foy	McDonald of Mitchell	Steele
Franks	McDonald of	Stevall
Gann	Richmond	Strickland

Sumner of Wheeler	Valentino	Whitaker of Rockdale
Swift	Van Zant	Whitworth
Swindle	Vocelle	Williams of Walton
Tatum	Way	Wimberly
Thompson of Coweta	Webb	Wyatt
Tripp	Whitaker of Lowndes	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Arnold	Hunter	Parks
Boswell	Jones of Thomas	
Bowen	MacIntyre	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Gresham	Stone
Atkinson	Griffith	Sumner of Johnson
Bentley	Hatcher of Muscogee	Thompson of Dodge
Bird of Taliaferro	Houser	Turner
Blalock	Houston	Tyson
Bowden	Hufstetler	Van Landingham
Brantley	Jackson	Walker
Bush	Keith	Wall
Camp	Langford of Hall	Watkins
Clifton	Lankford of Toombs	Weston
Cowart	Luke	Whitley
Davis of Floyd	Mann	Williams of Harris
DeFoor	Moore of Appling	Williams of Miller
Dixon	Moore of Fulton	Winship
DuBose	Nichols	Wood
Dudley	Perkins	Woodard
Duncan of Dawson	Robinson	Worthy
Duncan of Hall	Shettlesworth	Mr. Speaker
Fletcher	Singletary	
Fowler	Smith of Meriwether	

Ayes 142, Nays 7.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 142, Nays 7.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Vocelle, of Camden, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tonight at 8 o'clock.

Night Session,

8 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following Bills and Resolutions of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Williams of 45th—

Senate Resolution No. 86. A resolution to relieve certain bondsmen of one W. K. Brooks.

Mr. Knight, of Berrien, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 107, Nays 3.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the resolution was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Boatwright and Brown of Emanuel—

House Resolution No. 167. A resolution to relieve the surety on the bond of J. B. Hall.

Mr. Beck, of Carroll, moved that the House instruct the Committee of the Whole House that debate on this resolution be limited to five minutes to each side and the motion prevailed.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Way, of Liberty, as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

The resolution involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs :

Baldwin	Grovenstein	Miles
Beckham	Guess	Mundy
Blalock	Haddock	Owen
Bleckley	Harris	Parrish
Bloodworth	Hatcher of Burke	Patten
Bobo	Hawkins	Penland
Bowden	Henderson	Peterson
Bozeman	Hillhouse	Phillips of Telfair
Branch	Hines of Decatur	Pickren
Brannen	Hines of Sumter	Pilcher
Brantley	Hodges	Price
Brown of Emanuel	Holland	Pruett
Brown of Hancock	Holloway	Ramsey
Brownlee	Houser	Reville
Camp	Howard of Screven	Riley
Carr	Hullender	Russell
Carswell	Hyman	Rutherford
Childs	Jackson	Singletary
Clark of Colquitt	Jones of Coweta	Smith of Bryan
Clifton	Jones of Walker	Smith of Carroll
Coates	Johnson of Bartow	Smith of Haralson
Collier	Johnson of	Steele
Corbitt	Chattahoochee	Strickland
Cowart	Kittrell	Summer of Johnson
Daniel of Heard	Knight	Tatum
Dickerson	Langford of Hall	Thompson of Coweta
Dixon	Lewis	Valentino
DuBose	Logan	Van Landingham
Duncan of Dawson	Luke	Van Zant
Dykes	McClelland	Walker
Ennis	McDonald of Mitchell	Way
Ficklen	McDonald of	Webb
Folsom	Richmond	Whitaker of Lowndes
Fowler	McGarity	Whitaker of Rockdale
Grant	MacIntyre	Williams of Harris
Gresham	McMichael	Williams of Walton
Greene	Mayo	Winship

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Arnold	Boswell	Byrd of Crisp
Beck	Bowen	Clark of Webster
Bentley	Braddy	Culpepper

Daniel of Troup	Mason	Sapp
Davis of Floyd	Mixon	Smiley
Davis of Oglethorpe	Moore of Appling	Smith of Meriwether
Duncan of Hall	Moye	Trippe
Gann	Phillips of Jasper	Turner
McClure	Quincey	Williams of Miller
Malone	Salmon	Wyatt

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Horne	Robinson
Adams of Walton	Houston	Shettlesworth
Anderson	Howard of Forsyth	Sibley
Atkinson	Hufstetler	Stone
Bird of Taliaferro	Hunter	Stovall
Boatwright	Jones of Thomas	Sumner of Wheeler
Boyett	Johnson of Pickens	Swift
Bush	Keith	Swindle
Collins	Kennedy	Thompson of Dodge
DeFoor	King of Jefferson	Tyson
DeLaPerriere	King of Wilcox	Vocelle
Dobbs	Lankford of Toombs	Wall
Dudley	Maddox	Watkins
Evans	Mann	Weston
Fletcher	Manning	Whitley
Foy	Moore of Fulton	Whitworth
Franks	Neal of Union	Wimberly
Griffin	Nichols	Wood
Griffith	Parks	Woodard
Gunnels	Perkins	Worthy
Hamilton	Perryman	Wynne
Hatcher of Muscogee	Reagan	Mr. Speaker
Herring	Ricketson	

Ayes 109, Nays 30.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 109, Nays 30.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bill of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments thereto:

By Mr. Brantley of Pierce—

House Bill No. 260. A bill to change the name of the Railroad Commission and for other purposes.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amend Section 9 by striking same.

Amend by striking Section 3.

Amend the title by striking the words “to provide for a public counsel to represent the public in all matters before the Commission, to fix his salary, to define his duties, and provide for his appointment by the Governor.”

Amend Section 8 by adding after the word “law” in the fourth line thereof the following words: “Including the Special Attorney now provided by law, whose term of office and appointment shall continue as heretofore, except that the special attorney’s salary shall be four thousand dollars per annum.”

Mr. Beckham, of Dougherty moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments.

On this motion Mr. Dobbs, of Cobb, moved the

previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion to concur in the Senate amendments prevailed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 180. A bill to establish a College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts as a branch of the University of Georgia to be known as South Georgia Agricultural College at Tifton.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate:

Senate Bill No. 208. A bill to establish Juvenile Courts in this State, to fix their jurisdiction and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate:

By Mr. Manson—

Senate Bill No. 306. A bill to be entitled an Act to establish kindergartens in the public schools of this State, where desired and sufficient funds are obtainable from taxes raised within the town, district or city in which the kindergarten is located, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Bill of the Senate.

By Mr. Clay—

Senate Bill No. 17. A bill to be entitled an Act to regulate the use of motor vehicles and motorcycles upon the public streets and highways of this State and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Senate Bill, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 321. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Sharon.

The following Bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to the committee:

By Mr. Clay of 39th—

Senate Bill No. 247. A bill to regulate use of motor vehicles and motorcycles on the public streets and highways of this State and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Public Highways.

The following Bills and Resolutions of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Smith of Meriwether—

House Bill No. 210. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department of Georgia, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Turner of Brooks—

House Bill No. 856. A bill to authorize the State

Highway Department and the County authorities to ascertain capacity of bridges and post notices thereof.

Mr. Dykes, of Dooly, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Messrs. Langford and Duncan of Hall—

House Bill No. 971. A bill to regulate the running of automobiles and the use of cut-outs thereon.

Mr. Smith, of Bryan, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Gresham, of Burke, moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 651. A bill to appropriate certain sum to Georgia Training School for Girls.

Mr. Smith, of Carroll, moved that the House instruct the Committee of the Whole House that debate on this bill be limited to five minutes to each side.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Bozeman, of Worth, as the chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

Mr. Quincey, of Coffee, moved that the bill and amendment be tabled and the motion was lost.

The following amendment was read and adopted:

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

Amend by striking all items appropriated therein, except “\$12,000.00 for furnishing of an adequate water supply,” and “\$2,500.00 for the construction of a barn.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

Mr. McMichael, of Marion, moved that the House do now adjourn; the motion prevailed, and House Bill No. 651 went over as unfinished business.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

REPRESENTATIVE HALL, ATLANTA, GA.

Tuesday, August 15, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

The following report of the Committee appointed to examine the report of the Commissioner of Agriculture and the President of State College of Agriculture was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

Your committee appointed to examine the report submitted by the Commissioner of Agriculture and President of State College of Agriculture in pursuance of House Resolution No. 127 beg leave to submit the following:

Under the resolution providing for this committee we were only authorized to ascertain wherein the reports failed to furnish the information requested in said resolution.

We find that the report failed to furnish the information with reference to the Department of Entomology. After investigating this matter we find that

the fact that this was not submitted grew out of a misunderstanding as to the meaning of the resolution. The report has been submitted to your committee and we attach same herewith.

A list of the employees and salaries of the Department of Agriculture who draw their pay direct from the State Treasurer is also attached, the same was not submitted in accordance with the resolution but the failure of the Commissioner to furnish it grew out of a misunderstanding of the resolution. The Commissioner states that he did not think the resolution covered this, but upon being told by your committee that it did he readily furnished the information to your committee.

We further find that there was a typographical error made in giving the address of F. W. Cowie which should have been Montreal, Canada, instead of Moultrie, Ga.

We have not been able to ascertain any other inaccuracies in the reports submitted.

We believe the information furnished will prove to be valuable to the people of the State in determining any needed changes in our laws affecting the State Department of Agriculture and the State College of Agriculture, and we therefore recommend that the reports be spread upon the Journal of the House of Representatives for the information of all concerned.

Respectfully submitted,

ARNOLD of Clay, Chairman,

C. H. KITTRELL,

J. B. DANIEL.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1922.

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ATLANTA, GA.,

August 9, 1922.

HON. J. J. BROWN, Commissioner of Agriculture,
State Capitol, City.

Dear Sir: In accordance with your verbal request I beg to give you below the names, and the amount of salary drawn by each of the employees of the Department of Agriculture who are on our pay roll, as follows:

J. J. Brown, Commissioner.....	\$5,000.00
Tom Johnson, Chief Clerk.....	2,500.00
L. B. Jackson, Director of Markets.....	3,000.00
S. H. Wilson, Chemist.....	3,000.00
S. V. Reed, Entomologist.....	3,000.00
P. F. Bahnsen, Veterinarian.....	2,500.00
J. J. Holloway, Oil Inspector.....	2,100.00
P. H. Mell, Assistant Oil Inspector.....	2,100.00
W. H. Simms, Assistant Chemist.....	1,000.00
M. C. Allen, Assistant Chemist.....	1,000.00

The amount of salary shown, of course, covers a one year period.

Trusting this gives you the desired information,
I am

Yours very truly,

H. A. HIXON, Cashier.

ATLANTA, GA.,

August 8, 1922.

To Representatives

HON. ZACH ARNOLD,

HON. C. H. KITTRELL,

HON. J. B. DANIEL,

Committee.

Dear Sirs:

Appended hereto, I beg to submit a digest and summary of the duties and salaries and expenses of the members of Georgia State Board of Entomology, for the period of June 1st, 1921, to and including May 31st, 1922.

Respectfully submitted,

WFT em WILLIAM F. TURNER,
Acting State Entomologist.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day
August.

(Seal) HORACE G. BRIDGES,
N. P. State at Large.

JUNE 1, 1921, TO MAY 31, 1922.

Name and Address	Rate	Duties	Salary	Expenses	Total
W. V. Reed, Atlanta.....	\$250.00	State Entomologist....	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,157.45	\$ 4,157.45
I. W. Williams, Thomasville....	247.50	Cotton Specialist, General Field Agent in charge Field work	2,970.00	1,906.13	4,876.13
W. W. Chase, Cornelia.....	227.50	Apple insects and dis- eases	2,750.00	755.80	3,505.80
W. F. Turner, Thomasville.....	220.00	Peach and pecan in- sects and diseases, Mexican bean beetle	2,640.00	1,102.64	3,742.64
W. L. Neese, Atlanta.....	200.00	Secretary & Treasurer	2,400.00	208.30	2,608.30
D. C. Warren, Valdosta.....	220.00	Cotton boll weevil....	660.00	148.75	808.75
Dr. J. I. Ayres, Thomasville....	125.00	Plant Pathologist	250.00	30.35	280.35
B. M. Gaddis, Valdosta.....	200.00	Supt. Experiment Sta.	2,400.00	1,077.98	3,477.98
C. H. Gaddis, Reidsville.....	150.00	Supt. Experiment Sta.	1,800.00	648.27	2,448.27
W. H. Leonard, Thomasville....	150.00	Supt. Experiment Sta.	1,800.00	1,800.00
Jas. M. Malloy, Macon.....	150.00	Field Agent	1,800.00	1,060.49	2,860.49
J. C. Mameess, Atlanta.....	166.66	Field Agent	2,000.00	1,461.52	3,461.52
J. H. Pressley, Valdosta.....	150.00	Field Agent	1,800.00	1,564.16	3,364.16
S. V. Brown, Baxley.....	150.00	Bee Inspector	1,800.00	932.22	2,732.22
Mrs. Kate Maguire, Atlanta....	133.33	Stenographer	1,600.00	1,600.00
Mrs. P. W. Jones, Atlanta.....	100.00	Temporary Stenog....	500.00	500.00
Mrs. B. M. Gaddis, Valdosta....	50.00	Stenographer	175.00	175.00
			<u>\$30,345.00</u>	<u>\$12,054.06</u>	<u>\$42,399.06</u>

Mr. Gunnels of Franklin County, Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 173. Do pass.

GUNNELS of Franklin,

Chairman.

Mr. Moore of Fulton County, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 322.

MOORE of Fulton,

Chairman.

Mr. Philips of Jasper County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fish, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Game and Fish have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

Senate Bill No. 269.

PHILIPS of Jasper,

Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Bryan County, Chairman of the Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended:

Senate Bill No. 159.

SMITH of Bryan,

Chairman.

Mr. Pickren of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 303.

PICKREN of Charlton,
Chairman.

Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the House and Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

House Bill No. 1004. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 38. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 252. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 240. Do pass.

DAVIS of Floyd,
Chairman.

Mr. Smith of Meriwether County, Chairman of the Committee on Municipal Government, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Municipal Government have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 304.

W. E. SMITH of Meriwether,

Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 937. An Act to amend Section 659 of Parks Code of Georgia, Volume 1, relative to Road defaulters.

House Bill No. 843. An Act to permit the County of Bibb to support the Macon Hospital.

House Bill No. 968. An Act to create and establish the City Court of Decatur.

House Bill No. 951. To amend An Act to establish a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Wilkes County.

House Bill No. 954. An Act to amend Section 38 of the Act creating a new charter for the Town of Decatur.

House Bill No. 943. An Act to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Appling County.

Respectfully Submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bill by Committee Substitute:

House Bill No. 988. A bill to amend the charter of City of Waycross.

The following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill No. 180. A bill to establish a college of agriculture and mechanic arts.

Senate Bill No. 299. A bill to amend the Code of Ga. so as to give mothers preference in appointment of guardians for minor children.

The following bills and resolutions of the Senate,

favorably reported by the Committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Ellis of the 47th—

Senate Bill No. 38. A bill to provide a uniform County Commissioner Plan for Counties in this State.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Ridley of the 28th—

Senate Bill No. 159. A bill to revise the present laws creating the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy.

Referred to Committee on Hygiene and Sanitation.

By Mr. Clay of the 39th—

Senate Bill No. 173. A bill to abolish the act regulating the occupation of barbers.

Referred to Committee on Labor and Labor Statistics.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 240. A bill to amend section 2820 of the Code of 1910, relative to capital stock of trust companies.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Mr. Fleming of the 10th—

Senate Bill No. 252. A bill to require the posting of rates in all hotels and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

By Messrs. Brown of the 50th and Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 269. A bill to protect the game and fish of the State.

Referred to Committee on Game and Fish.

By Mr. Ellis of the 47th—

Senate Bill No. 303. A bill to amend an Act creating a new charter for the City of Tifton.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Jones of the 6th—

Senate Bill No. 304. A bill to amend an act incorporating the City of Valdosta.

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government.

By Mr. Rountree of the 16th—

Senate Bill No. 322. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Tom School District.

Referred to Committee on Education.

The following bills of the House and Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 1001. A bill to amend an Act to re-incorporate the Town of Abbeville as the City of Abbeville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 119, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Howard and Evans of Screven—

House Bill No. 1002. A bill to repeal an act to establish a system of Public Schools for Sylvania School District.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Bill No. 1003. A bill to amend an act to incorporate Town of Carl.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. King of Wilcox—

House Bill No. 1000. A bill to amend an Act to re-incorporate the Town of Abbeville as the City of Abbeville and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 320. A bill to amend charter of City of Crawfordville.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Brown of 50th—

Senate Bill No. 277. A bill to amend Code of 1910, relative to appointment of State Depositories so as to include the Town of Crawford, Oglethorpe County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Ellis of 47th—

Senate Bill No. 180. A bill to establish A. & M. College as branch of University of Georgia to be known as South Georgia Agriculture College.

Referred to Committee on General Agriculture No. 1.

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 208. A bill to establish Juvenile Court in this State and for other purposes.

Referred to Committee on Reformatories.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 306. A bill to establish kindergartens in public schools of this State.

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 321. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Sharon.

Referred to Committee on Corporations.

The following resolution of the House was introduced and read :

By Mr. Lewis of Colquitt—

House Resolution No. 229. A resolution requesting Attorney General to render his opinion on the validity of extending session one day.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved that the resolution be tabled.

On this motion Mr. Quincey of Coffee called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion to table prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted :

By Mr. Pickren of Charlton—

A RESOLUTION

Resolved by the House of Representatives that we extend our congratulation to our colleague Hon. John W. Collins of Cherokee County, the efficient Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Corporations.

August 9th he led to the matrimonial altar one of Cherokee's fairest daughters, she will in future be known as Mrs. John W. Collins.

May their lives be unhampered and the sea of their matrimonial travels be smooth and serene and all their big troubles be little ones.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Resolution of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Resolution No. 107. A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of one Price Hubbard and for other purposes.

Under orders of the Day, the following bill of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Messrs. Knight of Berrien and Herring of Schley—

House Bill No. 518. A bill to amend Code of 1910, relative to placing of insane convicts in State Sanitarium.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

House Bill No. 651. A bill to appropriate money to the Georgia Training School for Girls.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to yesterday.

By unanimous consent the following amendment was introduced and read:

By Mr. Holloway of Fulton—

Amend by striking therefrom all items of appropriation except \$12,000.00 for water supply and by adding “that said amount shall be paid as follows: \$6,000.00 in 1922, and \$6,000.00 in 1923.”

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The amendment of Mr. Holloway of Fulton was adopted.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Bowden	Clifton
Anderson	Bowen	Coates
Arnold	Bozeman	Collins
Atkinson	Braddy	Cowart
Baldwin	Branch	Culpepper
Beck	Brannen	Davis of Oglethorpe
Beckham	Brantley	DeFoor
Bentley	Brown of Emanuel	Dobbs
Bird of Taliaferro	Brown of Hancock	DuBose
Blalock	Carswell	Dudley
Bleckley	Childs	Duncan of Hall
Boswell	Clark of Webster	Dykes

Ennis	Johnson of Pickens	Price
Evans	Kennedy	Pruett
Ficklen	King of Jefferson	Reville
Folsom	King of Wilcox	Ricketson
Grant	Kittrell	Riley
Gresham	Knight	Russell
Griffin	Lankford of Toombs	Salmon
Greene	Logan	Sapp
Grovenstein	McClelland	Shettlesworth
Guess	McClure	Sibley
Gunnels	McDonald of Mitchell	Singletary
Hamilton	McDonald of	Smith of Bryan
Harris	Richmond	Smith of Carroll
Hatcher of Burke	McGarity	Smith of Meriwether
Hatcher of Muscogee	MacIntyre	Steele
Hawkins	McMichael	Stone
Henderson	Maddox	Stovall
Herring	Malone	Sumner of Jobuson
Hillhouse	Mann	Sumner of Wheeler
Hines of Sumter	Manning	Swift
Hodges	Mason	Tatum
Holloway	Miles	Thompson of Coweta
Horne	Moore of Appling	Trippe
Houser	Moore of Fulton	Tyson
Howard of Forsyth	Mundy	Valentino
Howard of Screven	Nichols	Van Landingham
Hullender	Parks	Walker
Hunter	Farrish	Way
Hyman	Patten	Webb
Jackson	Penland	Weston
Jones of Coweta	Perkins	Whitley
Jones of Thomas	Perryman	Whitaker of Lowndes
Jones of Walker	Peterson	Whitaker of Rockdale
Johnson of Bartow	Phillips of Jasper	Williams of Walton
Johnson of	Phillips of Telfair	Winship
Chattahoochee	Pilcher	Wynne

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Camp	Davis of Floyd
Bloodworth	Clark of Colquitt	DeLaPerriere
Boho	Collier	Dickerson
Boyett	Corbitt	Franks
Byrd of Crisp	Daniel of Troup	Griffith

Haddock	Neal of Union	Swindle
Hines of Decatur	Owen	Watkins
Holland	Pickren	Williams of Harris
Houston	Quincey	Williams of Miller
Langford of Hall	Ramsey	Wimberly
Lewis	Reagan	Wood
Moye	Rutherford	Wyatt

Those not voting were Messrs :

Boatwright	Gann	Thompson of Dodge
Brownlee	Hufstetler	Turner
Bush	Keith	Van Zant
Carr	Luke	Vocelle
Daniel of Heard	Mayo	Wall
Dixon	Mixon	Whitworth
Duncan of Dawson	Robinson	Woodard
Fletcher	Smiley	Worthy
Fowler	Smith of Haralson	Mr. Speaker
Foy	Strickland	

Ayes 142, Nays 37.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 142, Nays 37.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Ennis of Baldwin and Carswell of Wilkinson—

House Bill No. 204. A bill to appropriate certain sum to Georgia Training School for Boys.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House

and the Speaker designated Mr. Houston of Gwinnett as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill and all amendments be tabled and the motion was lost.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

That the figures \$16,800.00 be substituted in the caption for the figures "20,053.57" and the words "sixteen thousand eight hundred dollars" be substituted in lines three and four Section 1 for the words "Twenty thousand fifty three dollars and fifty cents."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the question of agreeing to the report of the committee Mr. Rutherford of Monroe called for the Ayes and Nays but the call was not sustained.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Ficklen	MacIntyre
Adams of Walton	Folsom	McMichael
Anderson	Gann	Maddox
Arnold	Grant	Malone
Atkinson	Gresham	Mann
Baldwin	Griffin	Manning
Beck	Grovenstein	Mayo
Beckham	Guess	Mixon
Blalock	Gunnels	Moore of Fulton
Bleckley	Hamilton	Nichols
Boatwright	Harris	Parks
Bowden	Hatcher of Burke	Patten
Bowen	Hawkins	Penland
Bozeman	Henderson	Perryman
Braddy	Herring	Peterson
Branch	Hines of Sumter	Phillips of Jasper
Brannen	Holloway	Phillips of Telfair
Brantley	Horne	Pilcher
Brown of Emanuel	Houser	Price
Brown of Hancock	Howard of Forsyth	Pruett
Bush	Howard of Screven	Reville
Carr	Hullender	Riley
Carswell	Hyman	Shettlesworth
Childs	Jones of Coweta	Sibley
Clark of Webster	Jones of Walker	Singleton
Clifton	Johnson of Bartow	Smith of Bryan
Coates	Johnson of	Smith of Carroll
Collins	Chattahoochee	Steele
Cowart	Johnson of Pickens	Sumner of Wheeler
Davis of Floyd	Kennedy	Tatum
Davis of Oglethorpe	King of Jefferson	Thompson of Coweta
DeFoor	King of Wilcox	Trippe
DeLaPerriere	Lankford of Toombs	Valentino
Dixon	Logan	Way
Dobbs	Luke	Webb
DuBose	McClelland	Whitaker of Lowndes
Dudley	McClure	Williams of Walton
Dykes	McDonald of Mitchell	Winship
Ennis	McDonald of	Worthy
Evans	Richmond	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs:

Bloodworth	Haddock	Salmon
Bobo	Hillhouse	Sapp
Boswell	Hines of Decatur	Smiley
Boyett	Holland	Smith of Haralson
Brownlee	Houston	Smith of Meriwether
Byrd of Crisp	Jones of Thomas	Strickland
Camp	Keith	Swift
Clark of Colquitt	Langford of Hall	Swindle
Collier	Lewis	Walker
Corbitt	Miles	Watkins
Culpepper	Moore of Appling	Whitworth
Daniel of Troup	Moye	Williams of Harris
Duncan of Dawson	Neal of Union	Williams of Miller
Duncan of Hall	Parrish	Wimberly
Foy	Quincey	Wood
•Franks	Ramsey	Wyatt
Griffith	Ricketson	
Greene	Rutherford	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Bentley	McGarity	Turner
Bird of Taliaferro	Mason	Tyson
Daniel of Heard	Mundy	Van Landingham
Dickerson	Owen	Van Zant
Fletcher	Perkins	Vocelle
Fowler	Pickren	Wall
Hatcher of Muscogee	Reagan	Weston
Hodges	Robinson	Whitley
Hufstetler	Russell	Whitaker of Rockdale
Hunter	Stone	Woodard
Jackson	Stovall	Wynne
Kittrell	Sumner of Johnson	Mr. Speaker
Knight	Thompson of Dodge	

Ayes 117, Nays 52.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 52.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the House do now adjourn.

On this motion Mr. Wyatt of Troup called for the **Ayes and Nays** and the call was not sustained.

The motion to adjourn was lost.

By Mr. DuBose of Clarke --

House Bill No. 982. A bill to amend an Act known as House Bill No. 273 so as to correct mistake made in caption and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill Mr. Wyatt of Troup called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 126, Nays 7.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Quincey of Coffee moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Bill No. 998. A bill to appropriate an additional \$10,000 to Georgia State Board of Entomology for years 1922-23.

The bill involving an appropriation the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Coates of Pulaski as the Chairman thereof.

On motion the Committee of the Whole House was instructed to limit the debate on this bill to five minutes to the side.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Bleckley	Brannen
Arnold	Boatwright	Brantley
Baldwin	Boswell	Brown of Emanuel
Beck	Bowden	Brown of Hancock
Beckham	Bowen	Brownlee
Bird of Taliaferro	Boyett	Bush
Blalock	Branch	Byrd of Crisp

Carswell	Hyman	Pileher
Childs	Jones of Coweta	Pruett
Clark of Webster	Jones of Thomas	Ramsey
Clifton	Jones of Walker	Reagan
Coates	Johnson of Bartow	Reville
Collier	Johnson of Pickens	Ricketson
Collins	King of Wilcox	Riley
Cowart	Kittrell	Rutherford
Culpepper	Knight	Sapp
Davis of Floyd	Langford of Hall	Sibley
Davis of Oglethorpe	Lankford of Toombs	Smiley
DeFoor	Lewis	Smith of Carroll
Dixon	Logan	Steele
Dobbs	Luke	Stone
DuBose	McClelland	Stovall
Dudley	McClure	Strickland
Ennis	McDonald of	Sumner of Wheeler
Folsom	Richmond	Swift
Gann	McGarity	Swindle
Grant	MacIntyre	Tatum
Gresham	McMichael	Thompson of Coweta
Grovenstein	Maddox	Trippe
Gunnels	Mann	Valentino
Hamilton	Manning	Van Landingham
Hatcher of Burke	Mason	Wall
Hawkins	Miles	Watkins
Henderson	Mixon	Webb
Herring	Moore of Appling	Whitaker of Lowndes
Hines of Decatur	Mundy	Whitaker of Rockdale
Hines of Sumter	Nichols	Williams of Harris
Holland	Owen	Williams of Walton
Horne	Parks	Wimberly
Houser	Patten	Winship
Howard of Screven	Penland	Worthy
Hullender	Phillips of Jasper	Wynne
Hunter	Pickren	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Anderson	DeLaPerriere	Griffith
Bloodworth	Duncan of Dawson	Greene
Bobo	Dykes	Haddock
Braddy	Evans	Hillhouse
Carr	Foy	Howard of Forsyth
Clark of Colquitt	Griffin	Keith

King of Jefferson	Price	Tyson
McDonald of Mitchell	Quincey	Way
Malone	Salmon	Wood
Moye	Shettlesworth	Wyatt
Parrish	Smith of Bryan	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Hodges	Singleary
Atkinson	Holloway	Smith of Haralson
Bentley	Houston	Smith of Meriwether
Bozeman	Hufstetler	Sumner of Johnson
Camp	Jackson	Thompson of Dodge
Corbitt	Johnson of	Turner
Daniel of Heard	Chattahoochee	Van Zant
Daniel of Troup	Kennedy	Vocelle
Dickerson	Mayo	Walker
Duncan of Hall	Moore of Fulton	Weston
Ficklen	Neal of Union	Whitley
Fletcher	Perkins	Whitworth
Fowler	Perryman	Williams of Miller
Franks	Peterson	Woodard
Guess	Phillips of Telfair	Mr. Speaker
Harris	Robinson	
Hatcher of Muscogee	Russell	

Ayes 127, Nays 32.

The roll call was verified.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 127, Nays 32.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

The following bill and resolution of the Senate were read the first time and referred to the committees:

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 299. A bill to amend Code of 1910, relative to appointment of Mother as guardian of children.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

Senate Resolution No. 107. A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of Price Hubbard.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 1.

Mr. Rutherford of Monroe moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 o'clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

Mr. Williams of Walton County, Chairman of the Committee on Reformation, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Reformation have had under

consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me as chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do Pass:

Senate Bill No. 208.

WILLIAMS of Walton,
Chairman.

Mr. Hullender, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:—

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts, to-wit:

House Bill No. 981. An Act to amend an Act to establish the fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of Augusta Judicial Circuit as applied to the office of Solicitor General.

House Bill No. 467. An Act to authorize the Insurance Commissioner to appoint an Assistant Fire Inspector.

Respectfully submitted,

W. C. HULLENDER of Catoosa,
Chairman of the Enrollment Committee.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The President of the Senate has instructed the Secretary of the Senate to notify the House that the Senate will adjourn today at 6:30 till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 630. A bill to be entitled an Act to provide for the change of venue in investigation by Grand Juries when no qualified Grand Jury can be found in the County where the crime was committed, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 554. A bill to be entitled an Act to authorize and empower the trustees of the Georgia School of Technology to charge and collect reasonable tuition, etc., and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 583. A bill to be entitled an Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a

School of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts in this State, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 561. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled an Act to create a Department of Insurance, to stipulate their salaries and duties, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 805. The following bill as amended, to be entitled an Act to prohibit taking fish from any of the streams of this State with seine, net, gig, or spear or with any other device than hook and line for a period of five years, etc., and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 981. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to establish the fee system now existing in the Superior Courts of the Augusta Judicial Circuit, as applied to the office of Solicitor General and all fees, now heretofore or hereafter accruing to the office of Solicitor General in said Circuit," and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 892. A bill to be entitled an Act to establish a State Depository in Crawford, Oglethorpe County, and for other purposes.

The following bill as amended:

House Bill No. 745. To be entitled an Act to amend the several Acts for the creation, maintenance, management and government of the Confederate Soldiers' Home of Georgia, so as to provide that the State President of the Daughters of the Confederacy and President of each Atlanta Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy be made ex-officio members of the Confederate Soldiers' Home.

House Bill No. 467. A bill to be entitled an Act to authorize the Insurance Commissioner to appoint an assistant fire inspector.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 938. A bill to be entitled an Act to repeal an Act to incorporate the Town of Aline, in the County of Emanuel, to define the corporate limits thereof, and for other purposes, approved August 16, 1913.

House Bill No. 750. A bill to be entitled an Act to prohibit the catching of fish in the waters of Braston Creek south of the public road leading from Young Harris to Blairsville and all the tributaries thereof, for a period of two years, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 927. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act approved August 16, 1920, entitled

an Act to amend an Act approved August 15, 1910, entitled an Act to amend the new charter for the City of Madison, Georgia, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 967. A bill to be entitled an Act to create a new charter for the City of Richland, Stewart County, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 990. A bill to be entitled an Act to provide for precinct voting in the County of Chatham, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 987. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled an Act creating the City Court of Louisville, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 972. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Lee County, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 966. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend "An Act authorizing the City of Canon, in the Counties of Franklin and Hart, in the State of Georgia, to establish and maintain a system of Public Schools in the said City, and for other purposes, approved August 14, 1911," and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 875. To be entitled an Act to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia, approved May 19, 1919, relative to vocal music, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Resolution No. 53. A resolution for the relief of bondsmen of one Perry Hendrix.

House Resolution No. 169. A resolution to take necessary steps to locate State line between Georgia and Tennessee.

House Resolution No. 154. A resolution to make additional appropriation for interest on public debt.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bill as amended, to-wit:

House Bill No. 680. A bill to amend the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Law, relative to the salaries of certain officers.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bill, to-wit:

House Bill No. 62. A bill to allow common carriers operating in this State to issue annual passes to sheriffs and their lawful deputies.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

Senate Bill No. 323. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act approved February 2, 1877.

The following bill of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering Senate substitute thereto:
By Messrs. Bowden and Blalock of Ware—

House Bill No. 986. A bill to amend the Charter of the City of Waycross.

The Senate substitute was read and concurred in.

The following bills and resolutions of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Maddox of Spalding—

House Bill No. 614. A bill to provide a fund to

assist Counties in paying salaries of County Police and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 34 Nays 78.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

By Messrs. Bleckley of Rabun, Neal of Union, Pruett of Lumpkin, and others—

House Bill No. 808. A bill to authorize State Treasurer to pay certain Counties pro rata part of funds due, now in the Treasury of State, from sale of products from the Government Area of the National Forest Reservation, etc.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 119, Nays 1.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Jones of Walker—

House Bill No. 1004. A bill to amend criminal Code of Georgia relative to cruelty to animals and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 110,
Nays 6.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Hamilton and Davis of Floyd—

House Bill No. 236. A bill to amend an Act regulating the practice of Optometry.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To Be Enitled An Act to amend An Act approved August 7th, 1916, entitled “An Act to establish a Board of Examiners in Optometry in the State of Georgia; to define its duties and powers; to regulate the practice of Optometry; to provide for issuing and recording licenses of Optometrists of this State; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act; and for other purposes,” by amending Section 2 of said Act so as to provide for removal of members of said Board; and by amending Section 4 of said Act so as to provide the Board with power to act on ministerial questions by mail; and by repealing Section 6 of this Act; and by providing qualifications and fees of applicants for examination and registration; and to fix the status of applicants who fail to pass such examination:

and by providing fees and qualifications of applicants for license who are residents of Georgia; and by providing fees and qualifications of applicants who have been licensed or have practiced without the State of Georgia; and by providing for the issuance of permits to practice Optometry; and by providing for notice of location and change of location of the place of practice by optometrists; and by providing for annual license fees and renewal fees to be paid by practitioners; and by providing for place of hearings before said Board; and by providing for notice of hearings before said Board; and by providing said Board with power to administer oaths, take testimony and secure attendance of witnesses at such hearings; and by providing said Board with power to administer oaths, take testimony and secure attendance of witnesses at such hearings; and by providing grounds for refusing and for revoking license under this Act; and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that **Section II** of the Act approved August 7th, 1916, to establish a Board of Examiners in Optometry in the State of Georgia; to define its duties and powers, to regulate the practice of Optometry; to provide for issuing and recording Licenses of Optometrists in this State; to provide penalties for the violations of this Act; and for other purposes; be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said Section II, the following words at

the end thereof, to-wit: "The Governor shall have the power to remove from office any member of the Board for neglect of duty required by this Act or for unprofessional conduct," so that said Section II, when so amended shall read as follows:

"That within thirty days after the passage of this Act, it shall be the duty of the Governor to appoint for this State a Board of Examiners in Optometry to consist of five members. The said Board shall be styled the Georgia State Board of Examiners in Optometry, and its members shall be persons who have been actively engaged in the practice of Optometry in the State of Georgia for five years immediately preceding such appointment; provided that no person is eligible to appointment on this Board who is connected in any way with a school teaching optometry or who sells optical goods at wholesale. Be it further provided, that after the appointment of the first Board, only optometrists registered under the provisions of this Act shall be eligible for appointment. The said Board shall file with the Governor annually a complete list of registered optometrists in this State. Within thirty days after the Governor shall have notified the several members of their appointment, each member shall subscribe and forward to the Governor the following oath: "I do swear that I will faithfully and impartially perform the duties of a member of the Board of Examiners in Optometry for the State of Georgia to the best of my ability, so help me God." Upon such oath being filed in the office of the Governor of this

State, he shall issue to said examiner a certificate of appointment. The Governor shall have the power to remove from office any member of the Board for neglect of duty required by this Act or for unprofessional conduct.”

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that Section IV of the above recited Act be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words, at the end thereof, to-wit: “The Board shall have power to act on any ministerial question by mail, such action being in the form of resolution or order, and shall be signed by each member of a quorum of the Board, and said action when properly approved by the Secretary of the Board shall become a part of the regular proceedings of the Board and shall be admitted as evidence in any Court, or in any hearing before the Board”, so that said section when amended shall read as follows:

“That said board at the first meeting after the appointment of its members and annually thereafter, shall elect a president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer, who shall hold their office until their successors are elected and qualified. The Secretary-Treasurer shall give bond with security in such sum as said board may determine. Said Board shall prescribe such rules, regulations and by-laws for its proceedings and government as will carry into effect the provisions of this Act. There shall be at least two regular meetings of the board of examiners held every year on the first Wednesday in January and

July. Special meetings may be held on the call of the president and two other members. A majority of said board shall constitute a quorum. The board shall keep a record of its proceedings and register of all applicants for license, giving the name, age and residence of applicant and the county in which he proposes to practice; also show the date of examination, whether the applicant was rejected or granted a license, and the manner of the License granted. The Board shall have power to act on any ministerial question by mail, such action being in the form of resolution or order, and shall be signed by each member of a quorum of the board, and said action when properly approved by the secretary of the board shall become a part of the regular proceedings of the board and shall be admitted as evidence in any court or in any hearing before the Board."

Section 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That Section VI of said Act be, and the same is, hereby repealed, which section so repealed reads as follows:

"Sec. 6. Be it further enacted, That from and after the passage of this Act, all persons engaged in the practice of optometry or who wish to begin practice of same in this State shall make application to the board to be registered and for a certificate of registration. Such registration and certificates shall be granted to such applicants, but only upon compliance with the following conditions contained in subdivisions 1, 2 and 3 of this section.

(1) The applicant shall be registered and given a certificate of registration on passing a satisfactory examination limited to a demonstration of practical work, if he shall present satisfactory proof on or before March 1, 1917, of being twenty-one years of age, of good moral character and of having been continuously engaged in the practice of optometry in this State for at least two years prior to the passage of this Act. The fee for registering such applicants shall be ten dollars.

(2) The applicant shall be registered and given a certificate of registration if he holds a valid license from such other State boards of optometry as may be, under the rules of comity, recognized by the Georgia State Board of Examiners in Optometry. The fee for registering such applicant shall be ten dollars.

(3) From and after March 1, 1917, any applicant for registration under this Act shall be required to pass an examination as hereinafter provided. Such applicant shall be twenty-one years of age, of good moral character, and shall be possessed of an education equal to a two years' high school course. He shall have been employed as an assistant in the office of an optometrist, registered under this Act, for a period of not less than two years, or shall hold a diploma from a school of optometry, approved by this board, provided that after July 1, 1917, all applicants for examination shall hold a diploma from a school of optometry requiring a two years' attendance course and satisfactory to this board. The

said board shall examine all applicants shown to have the necessary qualifications, as above set forth, in the following subjects: Ocular anatomy and physiology; theoretic optics; theoretic and practical optometry, including normal and abnormal refractive, accommodative and muscular conditions of the eye as applied by recognized methods of subjective and objective optometry when determining the need of glasses. When the applicant shall attain an average standing of 75 per cent. on all subjects submitted he shall be deemed to have passed satisfactorily and be given a certificate of registration, which certificate, and any other certificate provided for in this section shall operate as a license to practice optometry in this State when it shall have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the superior court of each county in which said person practices. The clerk of said court shall be entitled to a fee of one dollar for recording such certificate. The fees for applicants of this class shall be fifteen dollars for examination and ten dollars for registration. Failure to pass a satisfactory examination shall not debar the applicant from participating in subsequent examinations before said board, upon his complying with the provisions of this Act."

Section 4. Be it further enacted, That no person, except as otherwise provided in this Section shall practice Optometry until he shall have passed an examination conducted by the Board and attained an average standing of seventy-five per cent. in all the following subjects, to-wit: theoretic, practical

and physiological optics; theoretic, practical optometry; and in the anatomy, physiology and pathology of the eye, and shall have been registered and shall have received a Certificate of Registration, which certificate and any other certificate provided for in this Section, shall operate as a Licensed to practice Optometry in this State, when it shall have been recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of any county in which the said person proposes to practice. The Clerk of said Court shall issue him a certified copy of the record and be entitled to a fee of One Dollar; provided that a temporary license shall not be recorded.

Section 5. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That every applicant for examination and registration shall present satisfactory evidence in the form of affidavits properly sworn to that he is over twenty-one years old and of good moral character, has had a preliminary education equivalent to at least two years in public High School, and has graduated from a school of optometry, requiring a two year attendance course, and satisfactory to the Board created under this Act; Provided that should an applicant be unable to offer satisfactory proof of the preliminary education equivalent to two years in High School, the Board shall determine the applicant's qualification by an examination, the fee for which shall be Five Dollars to be paid by the applicant; and provided further that if an Optometrist who has practiced for a period of five years and who has conducted such practice in a manner not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, desires to ap-

ply for examination he may offer satisfactory proof of such practice in lieu of other educational requirements.

Section 6. Be it further enacted, That failure to pass a satisfactory examination shall not debar the applicant from participating in subsequent examinations before said Board, upon complying with the provisions of this Act.

Section 7. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That application for examination and for license shall be filed with said Board at least fifteen days prior to date of meeting of said Board, and fee for applicants of this class shall be Twenty-five Dollars, payable as follows: Fifteen Dollars to accompany the application and Ten Dollars upon issuance of Registration Certificate; such Certificate and any other registration certificate provided for in this Act, now in force, or hereafter issued, shall continue in force until the first day of January in the year next succeeding the passage of this Act.

Section 8. Be it further enacted, That an applicant for license to practice in this State, who has successfully passed the standard examination of the Optometry Board of another State, shall be registered and given a Certificate of Registration if the said Optometry Board that awarded his license is recognized under the rules of comity by the Georgia State Board of Examiners in Optometry, and provided that the applicant has not previously failed to pass the examination required in this State. The fee for applicants of this class shall be Fifty Dollars, pay-

able as follows: Fifteen Dollars to accompany the application and Thirty-Five Dollars upon the issuance of Registration Certificate.

Section 9. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the State Board of Examiners in Optometry, created by this Act, may in its discretion, issue a permit to practice Optometry in this State during the interim between examinations to any person who has filed application for examination, which has been accepted by said Board as admitting the applicant to the next examination. Such permit, which shall be known as a temporary license, shall be valid only until the date of the next examination, **and shall not be issued sooner than thirty days** following any regular examination, and no permit shall be issued to any person who has failed before this Board, nor to a person whose Certificate has been revoked.

Section 10. Be it further enacted, That before engaging in the practice of Optometry in this State, it shall be the duty of each Registered Optometrist to notify the Secretary of the said Board of Examiners in Optometry in writing of the place or places of business where he is to engage or intends to engage in the practice of Optometry, and of changes in the location of his place of business.

Section 11. Be it further enacted, That every registered Optometrist who desires to continue the practice of Optometry shall annually, on or before the first day of January, pay to the Secretary of the Board a renewal registration fee of Two Dollars,

for which he shall receive a Certificate of Renewal, which shall render the holder thereof a legal practitioner of Optometry for the ensuing year. In cases of neglect to pay the Renewal Fee herein specified, the Board may revoke the practitioner's Certificate of Registration, and the holder thereof may be reinstated by complying with the conditions specified in this Section; provided no Certificate shall be revoked for non-payment of registration fee without giving sixty days notice to the delinquent, who within such period shall have the right of renewal of such Certificate on the payment of the renewal fee, with a penalty of Five Dollars; and provided further that retirement from practice for a period not exceeding five years shall not deprive the holder of said Certificate of the right to renew his Certificate on the payment of all lapsed fees.

Section 12. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That all hearings before said board for the purpose of revoking license, or on the question of refusing license, shall be held in the Capital of Georgia at some place designated by said board by an order properly adopted by said board.

Section 13. Be it further enacted, That fifteen days' notice of the time and place of hearing shall be served personally upon any applicant for license of any hearing on the question of the refusal of his license and that like notice shall be personally served upon any licensed Optometrist before a hearing shall be had upon the question of revoking his license.

Section 14. Be it further enacted by authority

aforesaid, That said board for the purpose of conducting the hearings hereby provided, shall have power to administer oaths, take testimony, and upon application to a judge of the superior court of the circuit in which the Capital of the State is located, compel the attendance of witnesses.

Section 15. Be it further enacted, That said board shall have power to revoke any license or certificate of registration issued by it upon the following grounds:

1. Fraud or deception in procuring license.
2. Error in granting license.
3. The practice of optometry under a false or assumed name.
4. Failure to record license in the office of the clerk of the superior court for a period of ninety days in the county where practice is conducted.
5. Unprofessional Conduct. For the purpose of this Act the term "Unprofessional Conduct" is defined to mean; the use of untruthful or impossible statements in advertisement or announcements issued; the employing, directly or indirectly, of an unlicensed or suspended optometrist to perform any of the work covered by this Act; soliciting from house to house; the employment of a person to solicit from house to house.
6. The violation of any of the provisions of this Act.

Section 16. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith be, and the same are, hereby repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 3.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Russell of Barrow—

House Resolution No. 221. A resolution providing for payment of expenses for Joint Committee on Board of Regents Bills. .

The resolution involving an appropriation the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Mayo of Mitchell as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the resolution back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the resolution, was agreed to.

The resolution involving an appropriation, the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	DeLaPerriere	Hunter
Adams of Walton	Dickerson	Hyman
Anderson	Dixon	Jones of Coweta
Arnold	Dobbs	Jones of Walker
Baldwin	DuBose	Johnson of Bartow
Beck	Dudley	Johnson of
Beckham	Duncan of Hall	Chattahoochee
Bentley	Ennis	Johnson of Pickens
Bleckley	Evans	King of Jefferson
Bloodworth	Ficklen	King of Wilcox
Bobo	Folsom	Kittrell
Boswell	Fowler	Langford of Hall
Bowden	Foy	Lankford of Toombs
Bowen	Franks	Lewis
Boyett	Grant	Logan
Bozeman	Gresham	Luke
Braddy	Griffin	McClelland
Branch	Griffith	McClure
Brannen	Greene	McDonald of Mitchell
Brantley	Grovenstein	McGarity
Brown of Emanuel	Guess	MacIntyre
Brown of Hancock	Haddock	McMichael
Brownlee	Hamilton	Maddox
Bush	Harris	Malone
Byrd of Crisp	Hatcher of Burke	Manning
Camp	Hatcher of Muscogee	Mayo
Carswell	Hawkins	Miles
Childs	Henderson	Mixon
Clark of Colquitt	Herring	Moore of Appling
Clark of Webster	Hines of Decatur	Mundy
Clifton	Hines of Sumter	Neal of Union
Coates	Hodges	Nichols
Collier	Holland	Parks
Cowart	Holloway	Parrish
Culpepper	Howard of Forsyth	Patten
Daniel of Heard	Howard of Screven	Penland
Daniel of Troup	Hufstetler	Perkins
DeFoor	Hullender	Peterson

Phillips of Jasper	Singletary	Vocelle
Phillips of Telfair	Smith of Carroll	Walker
Pickren	Smith of Haralson	Wall
Pilcher	Steele	Watkins
Price	Stovall	Webb
Pruett	Strickland	Whitaker of Lowndes
Reville	Sumner of Johnson	Whitworth
Ricketson	Sumner of Wheeler	Williams of Miller
Riley	Swift	Williams of Walton
Russell	Tatum	Wood
Salmon	Thompson of Coweta	Wyatt
Sapp	Thompson of Dodge	Wynne
Shettlesworth	Turner	
Sibley	Valentino	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Hillhouse Quincey

Those not voting were Messrs :

Atkinson	Jones of Thomas	Smith of Meriwether
Bird of Taliaferro	Keith	Stone
Blalock	Kennedy	Swindle
Boatwright	Knight	Trippe
Carr	McDonald of	Tyson
Collins	Richmond	Van Landingham
Corbitt	Mann	Van Zant
Davis of Floyd	Mason	Way
Davis of Oglethorpe	Moore of Fulton	Weston
Duncan of Dawson	Moye	Whitley
Dykes	Owen	Whitaker of Rockdale
Fletcher	Perryman	Williams of Harris
Gann	Ramsey	Wimberly
Gunnels	Reagan	Winship
Horne	Robinson	Woodard
Houser	Rutherford	Worthy
Houston	Smiley	Mr. Speaker
Jackson	Smith of Bryan	

Ayes 153, Nays 2.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the resolution the Ayes were 152, Nays 2.

The resolution having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the resolution was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 655. A bill to appropriate \$150,000 for purpose of supplying a deficiency in maintenance of Georgia State Sanitarium for year 1921.

The bill involving an appropriation, the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Wyatt of Troup as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported progress and begged leave to sit again.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-night at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Bentley of Fulton moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Duncan of Hall.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-night at 8:30 o'clock.

NIGHT SESSION,

8:30 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

The following bill of the House was taken up for further consideration:

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 655. A bill to appropriate \$150,000 for purpose of supplying a deficiency in maintenance of Georgia State Sanitarium for the year 1921.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved that the House instruct the Committee of the Whole House that the debate on this bill be limited to five minutes to each side and the motion prevailed.

The House was again resolved into the Committee of the Whole House with Mr. Wyatt of Troup as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following amendments were read and adopted:

By Mr. Williams of Walton—

Amend House Bill No. 655 by adding the following proviso:

“That the sum above appropriated shall not be available until and unless the Board of Trustees take and keep all patients properly committed out of jails in the various Counties of Georgia.”

By Mr. Smith of Bryan—

Amend House Bill No. 655 by adding a new section as follows:

That \$3,500 or so much as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated for silo, and repairs to the buildings at the State Sanatorium for Tubercular patients, at Alto. That the caption be amended by adding the above paragraph thereto.

By Mr. Knight of Berrien—

Amend House Bill No. 655, by adding a new section to be known as Section 2A as follows:

Section 2A. Be it further enacted that from and after the passage of this Act it shall be the duty of the physicians in charge of the State Sanatorium to visit and treat the insane at the Georgia State Farm.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Arnold	Grant	MacIntyre
Atkinson	Gresham	McMichael
Baldwin	Greene	Malone
Beck	Grovenstein	Mann
Beckham	Guess	Manning
Bird of Taliaferro	Haddock	Mason
Blalock	Hamilton	Miles
Bleckley	Harris	Mixon
Bloodworth	Hatcher of Muscogee	Moye
Boswell	Hawkins	Mundy
Bowden	Henderson	Neal of Union
Bowen	Herring	Nichols
Bozeman	Hines of Decatur	Owen
Braddy	Hines of Sumter	Parks
Branch	Holland	Parrish
Brannen	Holloway	Patten
Brantley	Horne	Penland
Brown of Emanuel	Houser	Perryman
Brown of Hancock	Howard of Forsyth	Phillips of Telfair
Brownlee	Hullender	Pickren
Bush	Hyman	Pilcher
Camp	Jackson	Price
Carr	Jones of Coweta	Pruett
Carswell	Jones of Thomas	Ramsey
Childs	Jones of Walker	Reville
Clark of Colquitt	Johnson of Bartow	Riley
Clark of Webster	Johnson of	Russell
Coates	Chattahoochee	Sapp
Collier	Johnson of Pickens	Shettlesworth
Culpepper	King of Jefferson	Sibley
Davis of Floyd	King of Wilcox	Smiley
Davis of Oglethorpe	Kittrell	Smith of Carroll
DeFoor	Knight	Smith of Haralson
Dixon	Langford of Hall	Steele
Dobbs	Lankford of Toombs	Stone
Dudley	Lewis	Stovall
Duncan of Hall	Logan	Strickland
Ennis	McClelland	Sumner of Johnson
Ficklen	McClure	Swindle
Folsom	McDonald of Mitchell	Tatum
Fowler	McDonald of	Thompson of Coweta
Franks	Richmond	Thompson of Dodge

Van Landingham	Wall	Webb
Van Zant	Watkins	Williams of Harris
Vocelle	Way	Winship

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Bobo	Williams of Miller	Wyatt
Hodges		

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Gunnels	Singletary
Adams of Walton	Hatcher of Burke	Smith of Bryan
Anderson	Hillhouse	Smith of Meriwether
Bentley	Houston	Sumner of Wheeler
Boatwright	Howard of Screven	Swift
Boyet	Hufstetler	Trippe
Byrd of Crisp	Hunter	Turner
Clifton	Keith	Tyson
Collins	Kennedy	Valentino
Corbitt	Luke	Walker
Cowart	McGarity	Weston
Daniel of Heard	Maddox	Whitley
Daniel of Troup	Mayo	Whitaker of Lowndes
DeLaPerriere	Moore of Appling	Whitaker of Rockdale
Dickerson	Moore of Fulton	Whitworth
DuBose	Perkins	Williams of Walton
Duncan of Dawson	Peterson	Wimberly
Dykes	Phillips of Jasper	Wood
Evans	Quincey	Woodard
Fletcher	Reagan	Worthy
Foy	Ricketson	Wynne
Gann	Robinson	Mr. Speaker
Griffin	Rutherford	
Griffith	Salmon	

Ayes 133, Nays 4.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 133, Nays 4.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

The following bills of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Camp of Campbell —

House Bill No. 865. A bill to appropriate \$49,000 to pay debts due on public printing and for other purposes.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs moved that the House instruct the Committee of the Whole House that debate on this bill be limited to 10 minutes and the motion prevailed.

The bill involving an appropriation the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Winship of Bibb as the Chairman thereof.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported the bill back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass as amended.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking the words and figures "Forty Thousand Dollars" wherever they appear and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures "Forty Five

Thousand Seven Hundrey Thirty Six and Twenty Nine One Hundredth Dollars.”

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

The bill involving an appropriation the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Arnold	Duncan of Hall	Kittrell
Atkinson	Lunnis	Knight
Baldwin	Folsom	Langford of Hall
Beck	Grant	Langford of Toombs
Beckham	Greene	Lewis
Bleckley	Grovenstein	Logan
Bloodworth	Guess	McClelland
Bobo	Haddock	McClure
Boswell	Hamilton	McDonald of Mitchell
Bowden	Harris	McDonald of
Bozeman	Hatcher of Muscogee	Richmond
Braddy	Hawkins	MacIntyre
Branch	Henderson	McMichael
Brannen	Herring	Malone
Brantley	Hines of Decatur	Mason
Brown of Emanuel	Hines of Sumter	Mayo
Brown of Hancock	Hodges	Miles
Brownlee	Holland	Mixon
Bush	Holloway	Moye
Camp	Horne	Mundy
Carswell	Houser	Owen
Childs	Hullender	Parks
Clark of Colquitt	Hyman	Parrish
Clark of Webster	Jones of Coweta	Patten
Coates	Jones of Thomas	Penland
Collier	Jones of Walker	Perryman
Culpepper	Johnson of Bartow	Pickren
Davis of Floyd	Johnson of	Pilcher
Davis of Oglethorpe	Chattahoochee	Price
DeLaPerriere	Johnson of Pickens	Pruett
Dobbs	King of Jefferson	Quincey
Dudley	King of Wilcox	Ramsey

Reagan	Smith of Carroll	Wall
Reville	Stone	Way
Riley	Stovall	Webb
Russell	Swindle	Williams of Harris
Rutherford	Tatum	Williams of Miller
Sapp	Thompson of Coweta	Williams of Walton
Sibley	Thompson of Dodge	Winship
Smiley	Vocelle	

Those not voting were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Gresham	Shettlesworth
Adams of Walton	Griffin	Singleton
Anderson	Griffith	Smith of Bryan
Bentley	Gunnels	Smith of Haralson
Bird of Taliaferro	Hatcher of Burke	Smith of Meriwether
Blalock	Hillhouse	Steele
Boatwright	Houston	Strickland
Bowen	Howard of Forsyth	Sumner of Johnson
Boyett	Howard of Screven	Sumner of Wheeler
Byrd of Crisp	Hufstetler	Swift
Carr	Hunter	Trippe
Clifton	Jackson	Turner
Collins	Keith	Tyson
Corbitt	Kennedy	Valentino
Cowart	Luke	Van Landingham
Daniel of Heard	McGarity	Van Zant
Daniel of Troup	Maddox	Walker
DeFoor	Mann	Watkins
Dickerson	Manning	Weston
Dixon	Moore of Appling	Whitley
DuBose	Moore of Fulton	Whitaker of Lowndes
Duncan of Dawson	Neal of Union	Whitaker of Rockdale
Dykes	Nichols	Whitworth
Evans	Perkins	Wimberly
Ficklen	Peterson	Wood
Fletcher	Phillips of Jasper	Woodard
Fowler	Phillips of Telfair	Worthy
Foy	Ricketson	Wyatt
Franks	Robinson	Wynne
Gann	Salmon	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 117, Nays 0.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Pruett of Lumpkin—

House Bill No. 788. A bill to appropriate \$3,000.00 for 1922, and \$3,500.00 for 1923 to University of Georgia for use of North Georgia Agricultural College.

The bill involving an appropriation the House was resolved into the Committee of the Whole House and the Speaker designated Mr. Harris of Jefferson as the Chairman thereof.

By motion the House instructed the Committee of the Whole House that the debate on this bill be limited to ten minutes to each side.

The Committee of the Whole House arose and through their Chairman reported progress and begged leave to sit again.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Bill No. 251. A bill to provide a remedy for an applicant for certiorari in certain courts.

Also the following bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 832. A bill to amend an Act providing certain tax on fuel oils, and for other purposes.

The following bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to the committee:

By Mr. Fleming of 8th—

Senate Bill No. 251. A bill to provide a remedy for an applicant for certiorari in certain courts.

Referred to Committee on General Judiciary No. 2.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that the House do now adjourn.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette made the point of order that less than a quorum could adjourn. The Chair sustained this point of order.

The motion to adjourn prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, August 16th, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

By unanimous consent Senate Bill No. 63 was taken from the table and placed upon the Calendar.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 69 and House Bill No. 589 were withdrawn from the House.

Mr. Pickren, of Charlton County, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Corporations have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 321.

PICKREN, of Charlton, Chairman.

Mr. Haddock, of Early County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on General Agriculture No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Agriculture No. 1 have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Vice-Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 180.

Respectfully submitted,

MR. HADDOCK of Early, Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Guess, of DeKalb County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 1, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 1 have had under consideration the following Resolution of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Resolution No. 107.

GUESS, of DeKalb, Chairman.

Mr. W. R. McDonald, of Richmond County, Chairman of the Committee on Special Judiciary, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Special Judiciary have had under consideration the following Bill of the Senate and have instructed me, as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 323.

MCDONALD of Richmond, Chairman.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bill:

House Bill No. 726. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend the Georgia Women's Compensation Act approved August 17, 1920, by providing a method of calculating wages received, etc., and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 569. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend the Tax Act of 1921, as to Bill Boards, etc., and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following:

House Bill No. 851. A bill to be entitled an Act to authorize certain counties to lease, build or maintain houses and equipment for the purpose of giving fire protection to citizens and property and to levy a tax therefor and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 984. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act approved December 20, 1899, entitled an Act to create a new Charter for the City of Douglas in the County of Coffee and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 969. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act incorporating the City of Canon in the Counties of Franklin and Hart in the State of Georgia and for other purposes, to define the territorial limits of said City of Canon to provide for the issuance of bonds to build, equip and repair school building in said City, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 991. A bill to be entitled an Act to repeal an Act entitled an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for the County of Jeff Davis, State of Georgia, and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills.

House Bill No. 973. A bill to be entitled an Act to repeal in part and amend Act of December 10, 1901, incorporating Town of Cooledge and to amend Act amendatory thereof approved July 29, 1914, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 956. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend, revise and consolidate the several Acts granting corporate authority to the Town of Tybee; to confer additional powers upon the Mayor and Councilmen of the Town of Tybee, to define the corporate limits of said town and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 963. A bill to be entitled an Act to establish a new Charter for the Town of Danville, etc., and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 970. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating a new Charter for the Town of Donaldsonville, in Decatur (now Seminole) County and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Resolution:

House Resolution No. 148. A resolution to authorize the sale of certain lands owned by the State for benefit of the First District A. & M. School, to fix the price of same and for other purposes.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills:

House Bill No. 999. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to create the City Court of Cairo and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 995. A bill to be entitled an Act to repeal an Act entitled an Act to create the office

of Commissioner of Roads and Revenues for the County of Glascock, State of Georgia, to provide for an appointment to fill said office until January 1, 1915, etc., and to provide for and create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues in and for the County of Glascock, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 996. A bill to be entitled an Act creating a new Charter for Town of Decatur approved August 17, 1909, so as to permit said Town of Decatur to designate and establish by appropriate proceedings restricted residence district, and for other purpose.s

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bills:

House Bill No. 930. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend, revise, consolidate and supersede the several Acts incorporating the Town of Doerun, and the City of Doerun, in the County of Colquit, State of Georgia, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 965. A bill as amended to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to amend, consolidate and supersede the several Acts incorporating the Town of McCaysville in the County of Fannin, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 959. A bill to be entitled an Act to provide and establish a new Charter for the Town of Locust Grove, in the County of Henry, to define and prescribe its corporate limits, and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 895. A bill to be entitled an Act to amend the Charter of East Point, giving authority to issue bonds for certain purposes.

Mr. Hullender of Catoosa, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions, to-wit:

House Bill No. 583. An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a School of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts in this State.

House Resolution No. 154. A resolution to make additional appropriation for interest on Public Debt.

House Bill No. 892. An Act to establish a State Depository in Crawford, Oglethorpe County, Georgia.

House Bill No. 630. An Act to provide for the change of venue in investigation by Grand Juries

when no qualified Grand Jury can be found in the County where the crime was committed.

House Bill No. 966. An Act to amend an Act authorizing the City of Canon in the Counties of Franklin and Hart to establish and maintain a system of Public Schools in said County.

House Bill No. 875. An Act to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia relative to vocal music.

House Bill No. 972. An Act to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Lee County.

House Resolution No. 169. A resolution to take necessary steps to locate State line between Georgia and Tennessee.

House Bill No. 990. An Act to provide for precinct voting in the County of Chatham.

House Bill No. 554. An Act to authorize and empower the trustees of the Gorgia School of Technology to charge and collect reasonable tuition.

House Bill No. 927. An Act to amend an Act and amendatory Acts creating a new Charter for the City of Madison.

House Bill No. 750. An Act to prohibit fishing in Braston Creek for a period of two years.

House Bill No. 938. An Act to repeal an Act to

incorporate the Town of Aline in the County of Emanuel (Candler).

House Resolution No. 53. A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of Perry Hendrix.

House Bill No. 987. An Act to amend an Act entitled an Act creating the City Court of Louisville, Georgia.

House Bill No. 561. An Act to amend an Act entitled an Act to create a Department of Insurance for the State.

House Bill No. 62. An Act to allow common carriers to issue annual passes to sheriffs and deputies.

House Bill No. 986. An Act to amend the Charter of Waycross.

House Bill No. 832. An Act to amend an Act providing for the collection of a tax on distributors of fuel oils and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 569. An Act to amend the Tax Act of 1921, as to Bill Boards.

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa, Chairman.

The following Bills and Resolutions of the Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Ellis of the 47th—

Senate Bill No. 180. A bill to establish an A. & M. College near Tifton .

By Mr. Thomas of the 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 208. A bill to establish a Juvenile Court in this State.

By Mr. Golucke of the 19th—

Senate Bill No. 321. A bill to amend the Charter of the Town of Sharon.

By Mr. Golucke of the 19th—

Senate Bill No. 323. A bill to amend an Act creating Board of Commissioners for Warren County.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Resolution No. 107. A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of Price Hubbard.

The following Bills of the Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Rountree of 16th—

Senate Bill No. 322. A bill to repeal an Act incorporating the Tom School District in Emanuel and Johnson Counties.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 196. A bill to create a Board of County Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Dougherty County.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 137, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Ellis of 47th—

Senate Bill No. 303. A bill to amend an Act creating new Charter for City of Tifton.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 124, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Jones of 6th—

Senate Bill No. 304. A bill to amend an Act incorporating City of Valdosta.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 275. A bill to amend an Act to provide for a system of public schools in and for the City of Albany.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 138, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 274. A bill to amend present Charter of City of Albany.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 163, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Snow of 7th—

Senate Bill No. 209. A bill to repeal Act abolishing fee system in Southern Judicial Circuit as applied to the office of Solicitor-General and for other purposes.

Mr. MacIntyre, of Thomas, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Snow of 7th—

Senate Bill No. 221. A bill to abolish the fees accruing to office of Solicitor-General in criminal cases in the Southern Judicial Circuit.

Mr. MacIntyre, of Thomas, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was introduced and read:

By Messrs. McMichael of Marion, and Perkins of Muscogee—

House Resolution No. 2. A resolution thanking the citizens, theaters, etc., of the City of Atlanta for the kindness shown by them to the General Assembly.

The resolution was ordered to lie on the table one day.

The following report of the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 7 was submitted, read, and adopted:

Mr. Speaker:

We, your Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 7, known as the Neill-Jones Australian Ballot Bill, respectfully report that we have agreed and recommend that the Bill be enacted with all House amendments except the amendments which would strike Sections 18 and 19 of the original Senate Bill; would fix the closing hours of the polls; known respectively as Amendments Nos. seven (7) and eight (8).

Therefore the committee recommends that the House recede from Amendments Nos. seven (7) and eight (8) as hereinbefore mentioned.

On the part of the Senate.

Messrs. Jones, 37th.

Nix, 51st,

Jackson, 21st,

On part of House.

Messrs. Hyman, of Washington,

Davis, of Oglethorpe,

Knight, of Berrien,

The following bills of the House and Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Ridley of 28th—

Senate Bill No. 198. A bill for the licensing of nurserymen, dealers in nursery stock, etc.

Mr. Beck, of Carroll, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking from Section 7 and line two the word "three" and substituting in lieu thereof the word "five."

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 116, Nays 6.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Mr. Haralson of 40th—

Senate Bill No. 262. A bill to provide further regulation with regard to practice and procedure in the several courts of this State and for other purposes.

Mr. Moore, of Appling moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 105, Nays 6.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

By Messrs. Kittrell of Laurens, and McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 738. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to provide for the building of a State owned port and terminal at Savannah, Ga.

Mr. Williams, of Walton, moved that the bill, substitute, and all amendments be tabled.

On this motion Mr. Bowden, of Ware, call for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton
Bobo
Boswell
Bowen

Boyett
Brantley
Brownlee
Camp

Clark of Colquitt
Clark of Webster
DeLaPerriere
Dickerson

Ennis	Lewis	Sibley
Ficklen	Luke	Stovall
Foy	McClure	Swift
Franks	McDonald of Mitchell	Thompson of Dodge
Gann	Mayo	Turner
Grant	Moore of Appling	Walker
Griffith	Moore of Fulton	Whitley
Houston	Moye	Whitworth
Johnson of Pickens	Neal of Union	Williams of Harris
Keith	Pickren	Williams of Miller
King of Jefferson	Ramsey	Williams of Walton
King of Wilcox	Salmon	Wimberly
Langford of Hall	Shettlesworth	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Dudley	Jones of Thomas
Anderson	Duncan of Hall	Jones of Walker
Arnold	Dykes	Johnson of Bartow
Atkinson	Evans	Johnson of
Beck	Folsom	Chattahoochee
Beckham	Griffin	Kennedy
Bloodworth	Greene	Kittrell
Bowden	Grovenstein	Knight
Bozeman	Guess	Lankford of Toombs
Braddy	Haddock	McClelland
Branch	Hamilton	McDonald of
Brown of Emanuel	Harris	Richmond
Brown of Hancock	Hatcher of Burke	McGarity
Bush	Hatcher of Muscogee	MacIntyre
Byrd of Crisp	Hawkins	McMichael
Car-swel	Henderson	Maddox
Childs	Herring	Mann
Clifton	Hillhouse	Manning
Collier	Hines of Decatur	Miles
Collins	Hines of Sumter	Mundy
Cowart	Holloway	Nichols
Culpepper	Houser	Owen
Daniel of Heard	Howard of Forsyth	Parks
Daniel of Troup	Howard of Screven	Parrish
Davis of Floyd	Hullender	Patten
DeFoor	Hunter	Penland
Dixon	Hyman	Perkins
Dobbs	Jackson	Perryman
DuBose	Jones of Coweta	Peterson

Phillips of Jasper	Smith of Carroll	Vocelle
Pilcher	Smith of Haralson	Wall
Price	Smith of Meriwether	Way
Reagan	Stone	Webb
Reville	Strickland	Weston
Ricketson	Sumner of Johnson	Whitaker of Lowndes
Robinson	Sumner of Wheeler	Whitaker of Rockdale
Russell	Tatum	Wood
Sapp	Thompson of Coweta	Worthy
Singleary	Tyson	Wyatt
Smiley	Valentino	Wynne
Smith of Bryan	Van Landingham	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Baldwin	Fowler	Quincey
Bentley	Gresham	Riley
Bird of Taliaferro	Gunnels	Rutherford
Blalock	Hodges	Steele
Bleckley	Holland	Swindle
Boatwright	Horne	Trippe
Brannen	Hufstetler	Van Zant
Carr	Logan	Watkins
Coates	Malone	Winship
Corbitt	Mason	Woodard
Davis of Oglethorpe	Mixon	Mr. Speaker
Duncan of Dawson	Phillips of Telfair	
Fletcher	Pruett	

Ayes 50, Nays 120.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the motion to table the Ayes were 50, Nays 120, and the motion was lost.

Mr. Culpepper of Fayette moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent Mr. Duncan of Hall was granted leave of absence from the afternoon session.

By unanimous consent Mr. Duncan of Hall was allowed to cast his vote on the bill before the House at this time and retire. He voted "Aye" on the original bill and "No" on the substitute and all amendments.

Mr. Davis of Floyd moved that the House do now adjourn, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION,

3:15 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

Mr. Gresham of Burke County, Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass:

Senate Bill No. 306.

GRAHAM of Burke,
Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Moye of Randolph County, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and County Matters, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Counties and County Matters have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate, and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Senate Bill No. 308.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MOYE, Chairman.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do not pass:

Senate Bill No. 250, relative to the payment of poll taxes.

LANKFORD of Toombs,

Chairman.

The following bills of the Senate, favorably reported by the committees, were read the second time:

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 306. A bill to establish kindergartens in the public schools of the State.

By Mr. Hutchens of 38th—

Senate Bill No. 308. A bill to amend an Act amending an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Haralson County.

The following bill and resolution of the Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Hutchens of 38th—

Senate Bill No. 308. A bill to amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Haralson County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 120, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Akin of 4th, Manson of 35th, and others—

Senate Resolution No. 71. A resolution providing for a Commission to prevent the dismantling or

junking of the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railway Company, and for other purposes.

Mr. Wimberly of Laurens moved that the resolution be tabled, and the motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent Senate Bill No. 227 was re-committed to the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 for the purpose of reconsidering its action in reporting the same unfavorably.

The following bills of the House were taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments thereto:

By Messrs. Hufstetler of Murray, Owen of Gordon, and others—

House Bill No. 805. A bill to prohibit taking of fish from any of the streams of this State with seine, net, gig, etc., for a period of five years.

The following Senate amendments were read and concurred in:

Amend by striking the words "for commercial purposes" wherever same occur.

Amend by adding the following: "that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to counties having a population of less than 6,455 or more than 6,456; 11,709 or more than 11,710."

By Mr. Van Zant of Fannin—

House Bill No. 965. A bill to amend an Act incorporating the Town of McCaysville.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by adding the following proviso at the end of Section 4: Provided, however, that the present Mayor and Councilmen of said City of McCaysville shall hold office until the first Monday in February, 1923, when their term of office for which they were elected expires.

By Messrs. Atkinson, Hunter and Valentino of Chatham—

House Bill No. 857. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Savannah.

The following Senate amendments were read and concurred in:

Amend 1st by striking Section five.

Amend 2nd by striking Section five A.

Amend 3rd by changing the numbers of the Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, to numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 respectively.

By Messrs. Gann and Dobbs of Cobb—

House Bill No. 894. A bill to amend the charter of the City of Marietta.

The Senate substitute for the above bill was read and concurred in.

By Mr. Steele of DeKalb—

House Bill No. 680. A bill to amend an Act known as the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act relative to the salaries of certain officers.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in :

Amend by adding to Section two the following language, to-wit: "All moneys assessed against and that may be payable under this Act by the Insurance Companies writing Compensation Insurance in this State and the employers permitted by the Commission to pay compensation direct, shall be by the same paid into the State Treasury of Georgia, and by it held as a Special Fund subject to the change of salaries, expenses, etc., as provided in this Act, to be paid out of the State Treasury only upon warrant signed by the Governor and countersigned by the Comptroller-General.

By Messrs. Horne of Dodge and Moore of Fulton—

House Bill No. 745. A bill to amend the several Acts for the creation, maintenance, management and government of the Confederate Soldiers' Home of Georgia, so as to provide that the State President of the Daughters of Confederacy and Presidents of each Atlanta Chapter of same organization be made ex-officio members of said Soldiers' Home.

The following Senate amendments were read and concurred in :

Amend by inserting in Section 1 of said bill, in the eighth line thereof, after the words "following" and before the word "and," the following: "and two women who are members of the Georgia Division of the Daughters of the Confederacy, to be selected from the State at large, and the Chairman of the Soldiers' Home Committee of the Georgia Division of the Daughters of the Confederacy."

Amend by striking from Section 1 of said bill, in the seventeenth line thereof, after the word: "of," and before the word: "members," the following word: "eleven," and inserting, instead, and in lieu thereof, the following word: "fifteen."

Amend the caption of said bill, to conform to and to include the amendments as herein provided.

The following bill of the House, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was taken up for further consideration:

By Messrs. Kittrell of Laurens and McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 738. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to provide for State owned terminal at Savannah, Georgia.

Mr. Moore of Appling moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following amendment to the bill was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Williams of Walton and Lankford of Toombs—

Amend by striking out the word "Savannah" wherever the same appears both in the caption and in the bill.

The substitute by Mr. Mann of Glynn was lost.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Newton	Fowler	McDonald of
Anderson	Gresham	Richmond
Atkinson	Griffin	MacIntyre
Beck	Grovenstein	McMichael
Beckham	Guess	Maddox
Bird of Taliaferro	Haddock	Manning
Bowden	Hamilton	Mason
Branch	Harris	Mixon
Brannen	Hatcher of Burke	Parrish
Brown of Emanuel	Hatcher of Muscogee	Perkins
Brown of Hancock	Hawkins	Perryman
Bush	Hillhouse	Peterson
Carr	Holland	Phillips of Jasper
Childs	Holloway	Pilcher
Coates	Houser	Pruett
Cowart	Howard of Screven	Reville
Daniel of Troup	Hullender	Robinson
Davis of Floyd	Hunter	Russell
Dixon	Jackson	Shettlesworth
Dobbs	Jones of Thomas	Smith of Bryan
DuBose	Kennedy	Smith of Carroll
Dudley	Kittrell	Stone
Duncan of Dawson	Knight	Sumner of Johnson
Duncan of Hall	Lankford of Toombs	Sumner of Wheeler
Evans	McClelland	Tyson

Valentino	Wall	Winship
Vocelle	Way	Wyatt

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Hines of Decatur	Price
Arnold	Hines of Sumter	Quincey
Bleckley	Hodges	Ramsey
Bloodworth	Horne	Reagan
Bobo	Houston	Riley
Boswell	Hyman	Rutherford
Bowen	Jones of Coweta	Salmon
Boyett	Jones of Walker	Sapp
Bozeman	Johnson of Bartow	Sibley
Braddy	Johnson of	Singletary
Brantley	Chattahoochee	Smiley
Brownlee	Johnson of Pickens	Smith of Haralson
Byrd of Crisp	Keith	Smith of Meriwether
Camp	King of Jefferson	Steele
Carswell	King of Wilcox	Stovall
Clark of Colquitt	Langford of Hall	Strickland
Clark of Webster	Lewis	Swift
Clifton	Logan	Swindle
Collier	Luke	Tatum
Collins	McClure	Thompson of Coweta
Corbitt	McDonald of Mitchell	Thompson of Dodge
Culpepper	McGarity	Trippe
Daniel of Heard	Malone	Turner
DeFoor	Mann	Van Landingham
DeLaPerriere	Mayo	Van Zant
Dickerson	Miles	Walker
Ficklen	Moore of Appling	Watkins
Folsom	Moye	Webb
Foy	Mundy	Whitaker of Lowndes
Franks	Neal of Union	Whitaker of Rockdale
Gann	Nichols	Williams of Harris
Grant	Owen	Williams of Miller
Griffith	Parks	Williams of Walton
Greene	Patten	Wimberly
Gunnels	Penland	Wood
Henderson	Phillips of Telfair	Wynne
Herring	Pickren	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Baldwin	Ennis	Weston
Bentley	Fletcher	Whitley
Blalock	Howard of Forsyth	Whitworth
Boatwright	Hufstetler	Woodard
Davis of Oglethorpe	Moore of Fulton	Worthy
Dykes	Ricketson	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 80, Nays 109.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 80, Nays 109.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-night at 8 o'clock.

On this motion Mr. Knight of Berrien moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The motion was lost.

Mr. Watkins of Butts moved that the House do now adjourn.

On this motion Mr. Vocelle of Camden called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

By unanimous consent Mr. Davis of Floyd County, Chairman of the Committee on General Judiciary No. 2, submitted the following report :

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on General Judiciary No. 2 have had under consideration the following bills of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation as follows:

Senate Bill No. 251. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 227. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 299. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 257. Do pass.

Senate Bill No. 241. Do not pass.

DAVIS of Floyd,

Chairman.

By unanimous consent the following bills of the Senate, favorably reported by the committee, were read for the second time:

By Mr. Fleming of the 8th—

Senate Bill No. 251. A bill to provide a remedy for an applicant for writ of certiorari from certain courts.

By Mr. Manson of the 35th—

Senate Bill No. 299. A bill to amend Section 3037 of Code of 1910, relative to guardians.

By Messrs. Ellis of the 47th, Mills of the 26th, and
Snow of the 7th—

Senate Bill No. 257. A bill to promote the forest
interest in the State.

By Messrs. Thorpe of the 2nd and Cone of the 49th—

Senate Bill No. 227. A bill to amend Section 4203
of Code of 1910, relative to execution of deeds.

The motion that the House do now adjourn pre-
vailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until
to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday, August 17th, 1922.

The House of Representatives met pursuant to adjournment this day at 9 o'clock A. M.; was called to order by the Speaker, and opened with prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Adams of Newton	Camp	Ficklen
Adams of Walton	Carr	Fletcher
Anderson	Carswell	Folsom
Arnold	Childs	Fowler
Atkinson	Clark of Colquitt	Foy
Baldwin	Clark of Webster	Franks
Beck	Clifton	Gann
Beckham	Coates	Grant
Bentley	Collier	Gresham
Bird of Taliaferro	Collins	Griffin
Blalock	Corbitt	Griffith
Bleckley	Cowart	Greene
Bloodworth	Culpepper	Grovenstein
Boatwright	Daniel of Heard	Guess
Bobo	Daniel of Troup	Gunnels
Boswell	Davis of Floyd	Haddock
Bowden	Davis of Oglethorpe	Hamilton
Bowen	DeFoor	Harris
Boyett	DeLaPerriere	Hatcher of Burke
Bozeman	Dickerson	Hatcher of Muscogee
Braddy	Dixon	Hawkins
Branch	Dobbs	Henderson
Brannen	DuBose	Herring
Brantley	Dudley	Hillhouse
Brown of Emanuel	Duncan of Dawson	Hines of Decatur
Brown of Hancock	Duncan of Hall	Hines of Sumter
Brownlee	Dykes	Hodges
Bush	Ennis	Holland
Byrd of Crisp	Evans	Holloway

Horne	Mayo	Smith of Meriwether
Houser	Miles	Steele
Houston	Mixon	Stone
Howard of Forsyth	Moore of Appling	Stovall
Howard of Screven	Moore of Fulton	Strickland
Hufstetler	Moye	Sumner of Johnson
Hullender	Mundy	Sumner of Wheeler
Hunter	Neal of Union	Swift
Hyman	Nichols	Swindle
Jackson	Owen	Tatum
Jones of Coweta	Parks	Thompson of Coweta
Jones of Thomas	Parrish	Thompson of Dodge
Jones of Walker	Patten	Trippe
Johnson of Bartow	Penland	Turner
Johnson of	Perkins	Tyson
Chattahoochee	Perryman	Valentino
Johnson of Pickens	Peterson	Van Landingham
Keith	Phillips of Jasper	Van Zant
Kennedy	Phillips of Telfair	Vocelle
King of Jefferson	Pickren	Walker
King of Wilcox	Pilcher	Wall
Kittrell	Price	Watkins
Knight	Pruett	Way
Langford of Hall	Quincey	Webb
Lankford of Toombs	Ramsey	Weston
Lewis	Reagan	Whitley
Logan	Reville	Whitaker of Lowndes
Luke	Ricketson	Whitaker of Rockdale
McClelland	Riley	Whitworth
McClure	Robinson	Williams of Harris
McDonald of Mitchell	Russell	Williams of Miller
McDonald of	Rutherford	Williams of Walton
Richmond	Salmon	Wimberly
McGarity	Sapp	Winship
MacIntyre	Shettlesworth	Wood
McMichael	Sibley	Woodard
Maddox	Singletary	Worthy
Malone	Smiley	Wyatt
Mann	Smith of Bryan	Wynne
Manning	Smith of Carroll	Mr. Speaker
Mason	Smith of Haralson	

By unanimous consent the reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

The following message was received from the Senate through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following Resolution of House, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 160. A resolution to appropriate \$2,000 for the purpose of defraying expenses of Special Mansion Leasing Commission.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has overridden the Governor's veto on the following bill of Senate.

Senate Bill No. 288. A bill to incorporate Town of Townsend.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following:

Senate Resolution No. 112. A resolution providing for certain members and attaches of the General Assembly to remain 5 days after adjournment.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bills of the House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 328. A bill to provide for election prescribed by Par. 1, Sec. 4, Art. 8, of Constitution for school purposes.

House Bill No. 553. A bill to provide for Temperance Day in Public Schools.

House Bill No. 651. A bill to appropriate to Georgia Training School for Girls.

House Bill No. 865. A bill to appropriate for public printing.

House Bill No. 885. A bill relative to municipalities levying tax and appropriate money to State Sanitarium for Tuberculosis Patients.

House Bill No. 982. A bill to amend Act for appropriation to Georgia Training School for Mental Defectives.

House Bill No. 1004. A bill to amend Section 755 of Criminal Code.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following resolutions of the House, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 167. A resolution to relieve the surety on the bond of J. B. Hall, Tax Collector of Emanuel County.

House Resolution No. 233. A resolution extending thanks to Miss Wyley for composing music to song "Georgia."

The following bills of the Senate were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 321. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the town of Sharon in Taliaferro County.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 323. A bill to amend an Act to create a Board of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues for Counties of Warren and Taliaferro.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 114,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following bills and resolutions of the Senate set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Ellis of 47th, Mills of 26th, and others—

Senate Bill No. 257. A bill to promote Forestry interest in the State under direction of Georgia State Board of Forestry.

Mr. Rutherford, of Monroe, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Clay of 39th—

Senate Bill No. 174. A bill to amend Penal Code relative to bail in misdemeanor cases.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 115,
Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

By Mr. Brown of Emanuel—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 232. *Whereas*, Mrs. Lillian Wheeler who has served during this session at the Information Bureau for the convenience and assistance of the members of this House has been diligent, faithful and courteous in the discharge of her work,

Therefore, be it resolved that this House express to Mrs. Wheeler its sincere thanks and appreciation for her services during this session of the General Assembly.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this Resolution be delivered by the Clerk to her.

By Mr. Moore of Fulton—

House Resolution No. 233. A resolution thanking Miss Lottie Belle Wyley for setting the poem “Georgia” to music and designating the same as Georgia’s song.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and adopted:

Senate Resolution No. 112. A resolution to allow certain officials and attachees of Senate and House to remain five days after session.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bills, to-wit:

House Bill No. 577. A bill to require non-residents of Camden County, Ga., to procure a license to fish in fresh waters of said County.

House Bill No. 936. A bill to require governing bodies of certain Municipal Corporations to select Mayor Pro-tem or Recorder Pro-tem.

House Bill No. 768. A bill to prevent people from voting in any County election who live in militia district which has the no-fence law.

House Bill No. 821. A bill to amend the Constitution of the State of Georgia so as to regulate the salaries of the Superior Court Judges.

House Bill No. 579. A bill to supply a deficiency in the school funds caused by the misappropriation of funds by one R. N. Berrien.

House Bill No. 107. A bill to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Ga., relative to the teaching of vocal music.

House Bill No. 675. A bill to define the liability of Hotel Keepers.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House resolutions:

House Resolution No. 81. A resolution to provide a Survey of the Lands of the State known as the Colony Lands.

House Resolution No. 221. A resolution providing for payment of expenses for Joint Committee on Board of Regents Bill.

House Resolution No. 300. A resolution providing for a School Building Site on the State Farm.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bills, towit:

House Bill No. 1003. A bill to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Carl.

House Bill 1002. A bill to repeal an Act to establish a system of Public Schools for Sylvania School District.

House Bill No. 1001. A bill to amend an Act to reincorporate the Town of Abbeville.

House Bill 1000. A bill to reincorporate the Town of Abbeville.

House Bill No. 980. A bill to create a Board of Roads and Revenues for County of Lamar.

House Bill No. 848. A bill to create a Board of Education of Lamar County.

House Bill No. 808. A bill to authorize the State Treasurer to pay certain Counties of this State funds now or hereafter due from the sale of products from the National Forest Reservation.

House Bill No. 791. A bill to confer upon the several counties of the State authority to levy taxes for educational purposes.

House Bill No. 775. A bill to empower County authorities to provide suitable quarters for Justice of the Peace Courts.

The following bill of the Senate set as a Special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 240. A bill to amend Code of 1910 relative to increase of capital stock of Trust Companies.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup made the point of order that the House could not legally act upon the above because the 50 days of the session had expired.

The above motion was overruled by the Speaker.

Mr. Smith, of Carroll, appealed from the decision of the chair.

Mr. Arnold, of Clay, moved the previous question and the motion was lost.

Mr. Moye, of Randolph, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The decision of the chair stood as the sense of the House.

Mr. Watkins, of Butts, made the point of order that it was unconstitutional for the House to take up this bill at this time due to the fact that a bill of like nature had already been rejected by the House.

The speaker overruled the above point of order; stating that a motion to reconsider the House bill of like nature having prevailed it made it constitutional to vote on this Senate bill.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 92, Nays 12.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

The following resolution of the House was read: '

By Mr. Stovall of McDuffie—

House Resolution No. 234. A resolution that the General Assembly adjourn sine die at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Carswell, of Wilkerson, moved that the resolution be tabled and the motion prevailed.

The following bills of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 208. A bill to establish Juvenile Court in this State, and for other purposes.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 63, Nays 45.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

By Mr. Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 216. A bill to amend Georgia Motor Vehicle Law.

Mr. Perryman, of Talbot, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

Mr. MacIntyre, of Thomas, moved that Senate Bill No. 209 be taken from the table and the motion prevailed.

Mr. MacIntyre, of Thomas, moved that Senate Bill No. 221 be taken from the table and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Snow of 7th—

Senate Bill No. 209. A bill to repeal the Act abolishing fee system in Southern Judicial Circuit.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 6.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Snow of 7th—

Senate Bill No. 221. A bill to abolish fees of Solicitor-General from criminal cases in Southern Judicial Circuit and provide salary for said office.

The following committee amendments were read and adopted:

Amend by adding next after Section 4 of said bill two new sections to read as follows:

Sec. 4a. It shall be the duty of all arresting officers of said circuit to make upon the warrants executed by them, at the time of executing such warrants, an entry of their acts and doings; and it shall be the duty of all committing magistrates in such circuit to enter upon the warrant, at the time of the commitment, an itemized statement of the costs charged and to whom payable. It shall be the duty of every sheriff, arresting officer and committing magistrate in said circuit, where such warrant

is returnable to the Superior Court, to present or cause the same to be presented to the clerk of the court to which it is returnable, as promptly as practicable after the arrest has been made, for entry upon the grand jury docket, and also after a commitment trial has been had thereupon or waived, for the notation of that fact upon such docket. A delay of more than one week in so presenting such warrant, to the clerk shall, in every case (except only when the delay is the result of providential cause), be deemed and held to be inexcusable neglect of duty on the part of the officer so withholding such warrant, subjecting him to attachment and punishment for contempt of court, as well as to a forfeiture of all costs that might otherwise accrue to him in such case.

It shall be the duty of the clerk of every Superior Court of said circuit to keep a "Grand Jury Docket," composed of ruled and printed form, in a bound book, wherein appropriate blanks are left for inserting: (1) The number of the case; (2) the name of the accused; (3) the name of the alleged offense; (4) the date of the alleged offense; (5) the name of the prosecutor; (6) the date of the warrant and the name of the magistrate by whom it was issued; (7) the date of the arrest and the name of the officer making it; (8) the date and amount of the appearance bond, if any, together with the names of the sureties; (9) the total amount of costs due to each officer as shown by the warrant; (10) a list of the witnesses for the State; and (11) the disposition of the case by the

committing magistrate and the grand jury. Whenever a warrant is presented to the clerk in vacation, as herein provided, it shall be his duty forthwith to docket the said case for presentation to the grand jury, unless the same has then already been so docketed; and, in every such case, to insert the suggested matter in every blank pertaining to that case, in so far as the necessary information is desirable from the warrant or from the entries thereon, or as otherwise made known to him. Upon the case being so docketed, the warrant may be returned to the sheriff or other arresting officer. All warrants shall be so docketed in the order of their presentation to the clerk, and the cases shall be numbered consecutively, beginning with "No. 1," for each term to which they are returnable.

Twenty days or more before each term of court, and regardless of any disposition that may have been made of any felony case outside of the Superior Court, the clerk shall issue and deliver to the sheriff, and the sheriff shall at once proceed to serve a subpoena, in the usual form, for every prosecutor and witness whose name appears upon said docket in connection with cases returnable to said term, and likewise in all cases in which "no bills" were returned at the last preceding term, requiring the attendance of such witnesses and prosecutors before the next grand jury; and where cases are docketed less than twenty days before the next regular term of court, such subpoena shall be immediately issued and delivered to the sheriff for service, as aforesaid.

For all cases so docketed by the clerk, he shall be entitled to a fee of two dollars, and the sheriff or other arresting officer presenting the warrant to be so docketed shall be entitled to a fee of one dollar, both of which fees shall be taxed as other costs in the said case.

Other cases may be entered upon said docket by the Solicitor-General, or any member of the grand jury, or at their instance and direction, as well as by the clerk, always omitting to fill in such blanks as are inappropriate to the particular case.

The sole purpose of such docket being for the convenience of the grand jury and of the Solicitor-General, for expediting the business before that body, and for better keeping the record of the costs due in criminal cases, no entry or irregularity therein, nor even the total absence of such docket, shall ever, in any case, afford the accused any ground of objection in any manner.

It shall be the duty of the county authorities to supply and pay for said docket as other blank books for public records are supplied and paid for.

Sec. 4a. All costs, fines and forfeitures paid into the Superior Courts of said circuit shall be paid to and received by the respective clerks of said courts, who are hereby charged with the duty of keeping a clear, accurate, complete and permanent record of all sums so received or paid out by them. Each of such clerks shall deposit in a bank or unquestioned solvency, to be selected or changed by him at his

pleasure, all money so received by him, which account shall be carried in his name as clerk of the Superior Court of his county; and no disbursement or payment of any part of such fund shall be made except by clerk, which shall bear a distinguishing number and shall be his voucher for the payment thereby made. All such checks and the stubs thereof, properly filled out, shall be preserved as a part of the permanent record. Such bank account shall follow the office; that is to say, the successor in office of such clerk shall succeed to such bank account by virtue of his office and for the purpose of disbursing the said fund, as in this act provided.

Each of said clerks shall keep a well bound book to be known as the "Criminal Cost Record," which book shall consist of ruled and printed pages with blanks for the insertion, on one horizontal line to each case, of matter respecting every criminal case disposed of in his court, including returns of "no bill," as follows: (1) The docket number of the case, including (a) the grand jury docket number and (b) the trial docket number; (2) the return term thereof; (3) the name of the accused; (4) the name of the offense; (5) the disposition of the case, (whether "no bill," "acquitted" or "convicted" etc.,) and (b) the date thereof; (6) the sentence imposed, including (a) the fine and (b) the term of service; (7) costs accrued to the county as Solicitor-General's fees, including (a) amount, (b) when paid, (c) from what fund paid ("fine" or "insolvent"), and (d) number of voucher by which paid; (8) costs accrued

to clerk (with same detailed statement as for the county); (9) cost accrued to sheriff (with same detailed statement as for the county); (10) costs accrued to the committing magistrate, if any, with (a) his name, (b) the amount, (c) when paid, (d) from what fund paid (either "fine" or "insolvent" as the case may be), and (e) number of the voucher by which the payment was made; (11) cost accrued to the lawful constable, if any (with same detailed as for the committing magistrate); (12) costs of appeal, if any, including (a) amount accruing to the Solicitor-General, (b) when paid, (c) how paid, and (d) voucher number, if paid by check; (e) amount accruing to the clerk, (f) when paid, (g) how paid, and (h) voucher number; (i) amount accruing to sheriff (with same details as for the clerk), and (13) a reasonable space for remarks. Each of said clerks shall also keep, either in the same or in a separate book, a complete and detailed record of all additions to and disbursements from the insolvent fund. This record shall show; (1) the trial docket number of the case from which the fund was received; (2) the return term thereof; (3) the name of the accused; (4) the amount added to the insolvent fund from such case; and (5) the dates and amounts of each and every receipt and disbursement of said fund, together with the voucher number by which the same was paid.

Quarterly, on the first days of January, April, July, and October of each year, or oftener if he sees fit so to do, the clerk shall pay to the county, to him-

self, and to each officer to whom cost is due, the amounts accrued in the disposed of criminal cases in which collections have been made during the preceding quarter or since the last preceding settlement. The amount remaining in the hands of the clerk from any particular criminal case after the payment of all costs in that case shall at once be credited to the insolvent fund; and the said clerk shall also make quarterly distributions of said insolvent fund, applying the same, first, to special orders of the court passed within one year from the date of distribution; then (2), generally, either with or without any order of the court, to the payment of insolvent costs in criminal cases disposed of during the current year; and (3) to the criminal cases disposed of during the preceding year, and so on back through the fourth year, until all of such accrued costs are paid or said fund is reduced to an amount insufficient to pay the costs in full in the next cases in order for such satisfaction. Whenever all accrued costs are paid back through the fourth year, the balance of such fund then in hand, if any, shall be paid into the county treasury.

For keeping the said records as in this section provided the clerk shall be entitled to a fee of three dollars in each case, to be taxed as other costs in the said case.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 7.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

By Messrs. Wall of 5th and David of 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 60. A bill to amend an Act creating and establishing the Securities Commission.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To Be entitled an Act to amend an Act approved August 17, 1920, entitled "An Act to create and establish the Securities Commission, to provide the membership of said Commission and define the duties thereof, to define and classify securities and regulate the sale thereof, to provide for the license of dealers in securities and their agents, to fix fees therefor, to provide a penalty for violation of this Act, and for other purposes," so as more fully to define, classify and regulate such securities; to provide for the license of all dealers, other than the issuers of such securities and of their agents; to revise the fees heretofore fixed for licenses; to regulate the sale of real estate in certain cases; to give greater latitude to the Securities Commission in classifying securities and regulating their sale; to increase penalties for violation of the Act; and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same that, from and after the pas-

sage of this Act, the Act approved August 17, 1920, entitled "An Act to create and establish the Securities Commission to provide the membership of said Commission and define the duties and powers thereof, to define and classify securities and regulate the sale thereof, to provide for the license of dealers in securities and their agents, to fix fees therefor, to provide a penalty for violation of this Act and for other purposes," be amended in the following particulars, to-wit:

1. *Amendment to Section 5.* By inserting after the second paragraph of said section ending with the words "profit sharing certificates" the following paragraph: "For the purpose of this Act, the word 'securities' shall further include all contracts for the sale of territorial rights for which a consideration is paid or to be paid and all contracts which entitle the purchaser thereof to receive from the vendor compensation whether the same be for services to be performed, discounts or special rates not afforded the general public on goods to be purchased, or any other compensation whatever accruing to the purchaser solely by virtue of the purchase of such contract," and by striking from said section the last paragraph beginning with "The word 'file' " and ending with "provisions of this Act" and by striking from the paragraph defining the word or term "dealer" the words "except National Banks" and "its own," so that the said section when amended **shall read as follows:**

Section 5. The words and phrases used herein

shall, unless the context otherwise indicates, have the following meaning:

The word 'securities' shall include stocks, bonds, debentures, notes, certificates of participation, certificates of shares of interest, pre-organization certificates and subscriptions, certificates evidencing shares in trust estates or associations, and profit sharing certificates.

For the purposes of this Act, the word 'securities' shall further include all contracts for the sale of territorial rights for which a consideration is paid or to be paid, and all contracts which entitle the purchaser thereof to receive from the vendor compensation, whether the same be for services to be performed, for discounts or special rates not afforded the general public on goods to be purchased; or any other compensation whatever accruing to the purchaser solely by virtue of the purchase of such contract.

The word 'issuer' shall include every person and every company, trust, partnership or association incorporated or unincorporated heretofore or hereafter formed for any lawful purpose and organized under the laws of this State or any foreign State or country which shall have issued any security sold or offered for sale to any person or persons in this State.

The term or word 'Dealer' shall be deemed to include any person, company, trust, partnership or association, incorporated or unincorporated, selling

or disposing or offering to sell or dispose of any such securities through agents or otherwise, or engage in the marketing or quotation of securities either directly or indirectly or through agents or underwriters, or any stock promotion scheme whatever."

2. *Amendment to Section 7 Paragraph 3.* By inserting in the first line of Paragraph 3 of Section 7, between the word, "incomes" and the word "which," the words, "or on assets the fair market value of which in the judgment of the Commission gives the investor a reasonable margin of safety" so that said paragraph when amended shall read as follows:

(3) Securities based on established incomes or on assets the fair market value of which in the judgment of the Commission gives the investor a reasonable margin of safety shall be known as securities in Class "C".

3. *Amendment to Section 8.* By striking Section 8 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 8. Securities in Class "A" shall comprise:

"(1) Those issued or guaranteed by the United States or any territory or insular possession thereof or by the District of Columbia, or by any State or political subdivision or agency thereof.

"(2) Those issued or guaranteed by any foreign government with which the United States is at the time of the sale or offer of sale thereof maintaining

diplomatic relations, or by any State, Province or political subdivision thereof having the power of taxation or assessment.

“(3) Those issued by a National Bank or any Federal Land Bank or joint stock land bank or National farm loan association under the provisions of the Federal Farm Loan Act of July 17, 1916, or by the War Finance Corporation, or by any corporation created or acting as an instrumentality of the Government of the United States pursuant to authority granted by the Congress of the United States; provided, That such corporation shall be subject to supervision or regulation by the Government of the United States.

“(4) Those issued by any bank or trust company or insurance company operating under the supervision of the Insurance Commission of this State.

“(5) Those issued or guaranteed as to principal, interest, or dividend by a corporation owning or operating a railroad or any other public service utility: Provided that such corporation is subject to regulation or supervision either as to its rates and charges or as to the issue of its securities by a public Commission, board or officer of the Government of the United States, or of any State, territory or insular possession thereof or of the District of Columbia, or by the Dominion of Canada or any Province thereof.

“(6) Those issued by a corporation organized exclusively for education, benevolent, fraternal,

charitable or reformatory purposes, and not for pecuniary profit.

“(7) Those appearing in any list of securities dealt in on the New York, Chicago or Philadelphia stock exchange or other stock exchanges of like standing to be selected by the Securities Commission, pursuant to official authorization by such exchanges, and securities senior to any securities so appearing whereof the current prices shall have been quoted from time to time for not less than one year next preceding the offering for sale thereof in tabulated market reports published as news and not as advertisements in a daily newspaper of general circulation in this State.

“(8) Bonds or notes secured by a deed to secure debt or first mortgage lien upon real estate or leasehold where the entire deed or mortgage together with all the bonds and notes based thereon are sold or offered for sale to a single purchaser as a single sale.

“(9) Bills or notes evidencing the acquisition of personal property under conditional sale contracts; and, when running for a period of not more than one year, negotiable promisory notes given for full value, commercial paper, and bank acceptances.

“(10) Subscriptions to the capital stock of any company, incorporated or to be incorporated under the laws of this State, made and to be paid by the organizers thereof, where no commission or other

remuneration is paid or to be paid for the disposition of such securities.

“Securities in Class “A” and the sale thereof shall not be subject to the provisions of this Act.”

4. *Amendment to Section 9.* By striking Section 9 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 9. Securities in Class “B” shall comprise:

“(1) Those sold by the owner or his representative for the owner’s account, such sale being in the nature of an isolated transaction and not made in the course of repeated and successive transactions of a similar nature by such owner, or on his own account by such representative, and such owner or representative not being the underwriter of such securities.

“(2) Increased capital stock, bonds or other securities of a corporation sold by it to its stock holders or employees without the payment of any commission or expense to solicitors, agents or brokers in connection with the distribution thereof; capital stock, bonds or other securities distributed to the security holders or other creditors of a corporation in the process of a bona fide re-organization of such corporation either in exchange for the securities or claims of such security holders or creditors or partly for cash or partly in exchange for the securities or claims of such security holders or creditors; or increased capital stock distributed to stockholders as dividends out of earnings or surplus.

“(4) Those sold by or to any national or state bank or trust company, functioning as a bank or trust company and not engaged in dealing in securities, or insurance company doing business in this State under the supervision of the Insurance Commission or any public sinking fund trustees; or to any corporation or any dealer or broker in securities.

“(5) Those sold or offered for sale at any executor’s or administrator’s sale or at any sale by a receiver or trustee in insolvency or bankruptcy, or at a public sale or auction held at an advertised time and place; or sold by or for the account of a pledge holder or mortgagee selling or offering for sale or delivery in the ordinary course of business to liquidate a bona fide debt.

“Securities in Class “B” when disposed of by the persons and in the manner provided by this section, shall not be subject to the provisions of this Act.”

5. *Amendment to Section 10.* By adding at the end of Section 10, defining securities in Class “C,” the following paragraph:

“Provided, however, that nothing in this section shall be construed so as to prohibit the Securities Commission in its discretion from licensing in Class “C” securities which are unable to meet the foregoing requirements where it is conclusively shown that the purchaser would be undergoing no greater risk than he would in the purchase of securities meeting said requirements.”

6. *New Section.* By inserting between Sections 14 and 15, a new section to be known as Section 14a which shall read as follows:

Section 14a. Every dealer not the issuer engaged in the business of buying and selling securities as defined in Section 5 of this Act, whether as owner, underwriter or broker, and every dealer in securities based upon real estate mortgages shall file with the Commission statements and documents as follows:

“(1) Giving address of applicant, principal office and branch office in Georgia, if any.

“(2) If applicant is a corporation, names and addresses of officers and directors and a certified copy of articles of incorporation and by-laws; of a co-partnership, names and addresses of active partners.

“(3) Detailed account of the character of securities dealt in by applicant with estimate proportion of the whole falling within Classes ‘A’, ‘B’, ‘C’ and ‘D’.

“(4) If applicant is a subsidiary of or connected with any other corporation, firm or business, a detailed showing of the relationship or connection with such corporation, firm or business.

“(5) Three references, one of which shall be a bank with which applicant has an account; and such other data as applicant may deem necessary to a complete showing as to his good character, business qualifications and claim to public confidence.

“Such statement shall be accompanied by a filing fee of five (\$5.00) and shall be verified on oath of applicant, if an individual; or by two of the partners, if a partnership; or by two of the officers, if a company or unincorporated association.

7. *New Section.* By inserting after the foregoing section an additional new section numbered 14b which shall read as follows:

“Sec. 14b. If the Commission be satisfied of the good repute in business of such applicant, it shall, on the payment of a fee of fifty (\$50.00) dollars renewable annually on the first of January of each year on a showing made that all of the provisions of this Act and the regulations of the Commission have been complied with, register such applicant as a licensed dealer or broker in securities, and shall require of such licensed dealer or broker no additional fees or statements evidencing the nature and character of the securities offered for sale by him, except, in the case of securities in Class “C,” notice of his intention so to do, followed within such time as may be prescribed by the Commission, by a brief statement under oath showing that the security to be offered is in said class, and in the case of securities based on real estate mortgages, proof of the value of the real estate mortgaged and a sworn opinion by a reputable attorney supporting the title thereto; and such dealer or broker will not be required for himself or the issuer to file separate applications for each issue of securities in Class “C” sold or dealt in by him:

“Provided, however, that this section shall not be construed as limiting or curtailing the right of the Commission to refuse to grant or revoke a license for the sale of any securities coming within the provisions of this Act; and

“Provided further that the exemptions of this section shall not apply to securities in Class “C” or to notes or bonds based upon real estate mortgages, where the Commission has good cause to believe that fuller investigation is necessary; nor to any securities whatever in Class “D,” in all of which cases detailed statements must be filed and the license fee paid for each security as elsewhere stipulated in this Act for issuers.

“Non-resident applicants having no branch office in Georgia, shall before a license can issue, execute the power of attorney required in Section 14 of this Act, but it shall not be necessary for each issuer of securities offered by licensed dealers to execute such power of attorney.”

“If application for license is made after the thirtieth of June of any year, one half of the annual fee shall be charged.”

8. *Amendment to Section 15.* By striking Section 15 and substituting therefor the following:

“Sec. 15. If the Commission be satisfied with the showing made in the application filed by or in behalf of any issuer and with its investigation thereof, it shall register such applicant as a licensed dealer in such security, said license to be renewable annually

as hereinafter provided in this Act, upon the payment of the following fees:

“For permission to offer securities not exceeding twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars, twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars; in amounts greater than twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars and not exceeding one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars, fifty (\$50.00) dollars; in amounts greater than one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars and not exceeding two hundred thousand (\$200,000) dollars, (\$100.00) dollars; in amounts greater than two hundred thousand (\$200,000) dollars and not exceeding three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars, one hundred and fifty (\$150.00) dollars; in amounts greater than three hundred thousand (\$300,000) dollars and not exceeding five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars, two hundred (\$200.00) dollars; in amounts greater than five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars and not exceeding one million (\$1,000,000) dollars, two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars; in amounts greater than one million (\$1,000,000) dollars, three hundred (\$300) dollars.

“Such license shall be taken out at the beginning of each calendar year, but may be issued at any time for the remainder of such year and in such case the annual fees shall be reduced as follows for each expired calendar month:

“For fees of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, two (\$2.00) dollars; for fees of fifty (\$50.00) dollars, four (\$4.00) dollars; for fees of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, eight (\$8.00) dollars; for fees of

one hundred and fifty (\$150.00) dollars, twelve (\$12.00) dollars, for fees of two hundred (\$200.00) dollars, sixteen (\$16.00) dollars; for fees of two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars, twenty (\$20.00) dollars; for fees of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars, twenty-four (\$24.00) dollars; provided, however, that in no case the fee charged be less than ten (\$10.00) dollars. All renewals shall be made as of the first day of January of each calendar year upon proper application therefor, filed not less than twenty (20) days nor more than sixty (60) days next preceeding such date.

“This and the next preceding section shall not apply to issuers of or dealers in securities who have obtained their licenses for the calendar year of the adoption of this Act until the expiration or revocation of said license.”

“*Amendment to Section 16.* By striking 16 and substituting therefor the following:

“Sec. 16. On such showing of good character as the Commission may require, it shall license agents of issuers of securities and of dealers and brokers therein on written application of their principals. Such agents shall pay a fee of ten (\$10.00) dollars each of which five (\$5.00) dollars shall be for registration and five (\$5.00) dollars for a copy of the license issued to their principals, certified as such by the Chairman of the Commission, whose certificate attached to said copy shall bear the agents name and address. All agents' licenses shall expire at the end of the calendar year during which they are is-

sued. Employers of agents shall immediately notify the Commission when any agent is dismissed or leaves their employment, giving reasons for change of employment. Change of employment shall automatically cancel the license of any agent, but on application to the Commission by a new employer said agent may be registered as the agent of said employer without the payment of an additional registration fee.”

10. *Amendment to Section 17.* By striking Section 17 and substituting therefor the following:

“Section 17. The printed license for dealers on a form to be prepared by the Commission shall contain in bold face type the words ‘neither the State of Georgia nor the Securities Commission assumes any responsibility for statements made by any licensed dealer, nor recommends the securities offered him.’ Besides a brief description of the securities authorized to be sold and a statement to the uses to which the proceeds shall be applied, issuers’ licenses shall bear at the top in bold face type the following language: License for the sale of securities in Class “C” (“Or Class “D” as the case may be) under the Georgia Securities Law. Neither the State of Georgia nor the Securities Commission assumes any responsibility for any statement contained herein, nor recommends the securities described below.’

“On the petition of any licensee, with such exhibits attached thereto as may be pertinent, verified in the manner required of exhibits attached to the original

statement, the Commission may take up the original license and issue in lieu thereof an amended license and a fee of \$10 shall be paid for such amended license and a fee of \$1 each for verified copies thereof to be supplied agents already qualified under the original license.”

11. *Amendment to Section 22. Paragraph 1.* By inserting immediately after the words, “The amount of securities sold,” the following words, “and in the case of securities in Class “D”, so that said paragraph when amended shall read as follows:

“(1) The amount of securities sold and, in the case of securities in Class “D,” the names and addresses of the parties to whom the same were sold, the sale price thereof, and the amount of cash proceeds received therefor by the issuer.”

12. *Amendment to Section 24.* By striking Section 24 and substituting therefor the following:

“Sec. 24. No person, partnership or company, unless licensed so to do in the manner hereinafter provided, shall within this State deal in any interest in real estate not located in Georgia. Each and every dealer in such real estate shall first be required to file with the Commission statements and documents as follows:

“(1) Name and address of applicants; state whether individual, co-partnership, corporation or unincorporated association; give three references as to character and business qualifications.

“(2) A description of real estate to be offered in Georgia, giving applicant’s interest therein and appraisal by a disinterested party of the value thereof.

“(3) Amount paid for such real estate by owner at time statement is filed, date of his acquisition thereof; certified copies of deed or deeds, together with exemplified copy of any mortgage or other encumbrance thereon; certified copy of reputable attorney or responsible title guaranty company attesting the validity of the title thereto; and last returns made for State, county and (in the case of realty located in an incorporated town) city taxes.

“(4) Detailed account of the manner and terms on which said real estate is to be offered in Georgia, whether as timber lands, developed or undeveloped farm property, city lots, home sites, oil or mineral leases, etc.

“(5) Such other information and data as the Commission may require for the prevention of fraud in the disposal of said real estate.

“Such statement shall be accompanied by a filing fee of five (\$5.00) dollars and shall be verified by the oath of the individual applicant, if an individual; or by two members of a firm or partnership, if a partnership; or by two officers of a company, if a company or unincorporated association. When said statement shall have been approved by the Commission, such applicant shall be granted a license to deal in such real estate upon the payment of a fee of fifty (\$50) dollars renewable annually on the first day of

January of each calendar year. At any time during the year for which license is granted, a dealer in such real estate may be authorized to offer for sale additional tracts of real estate on filing with the Commission statements and documents regarding such real estate verified as in the case of the original statement and accompanied by a fee of ten (\$10.00) dollars. The same provisions as to registration and fees for agents offering securities shall also be applicable to agents of dealers in real estate lying outside of this State.

“This section shall apply where the title to such property is held in the name of a trustee for any corporation or for any such described person or company, but it shall be deemed to prohibit the disposal of his own property by any owner or by his representative for the owner’s account in good faith and not for the purpose of avoiding the provisions of this Act, where the transaction is not one of repeated transactions of a similar nature performed as part of the business of dealing in real estate.”

13. *New Section.* By inserting between sections 24 and 25 a new section to be known as Section 24a as follows:

“Section 24a. The provisions of the foregoing section shall apply to the sale or offer of sale of real estate located in Georgia in the case of oil, gas and mineral leases and of subdivisions of larger tracts to be offered as city or suburban lots, or as fractional portions thereof planted in nuts or fruits commonly known as orchard units, or as small farms for colon-

izing purposes, when said lots or tracts are offered outside of the country in which the land is located.

“Provided, however, that it shall not apply to the offer of lots of a city or territory suburban thereto in any of the counties included in such city or suburban territory; nor to the offer of tracts as orchard units or small farms in any of the counties of the location of the larger tract subdivided to form such orchard units or farms; nor to the advertisements of such offers in a newspaper published in any county in which the offer or sale is exempt from the provisions of this Act.”

14. “*Amendment to Section 27.* By striking Section 27 and substituting therefor the following:

“Section 27. The Securities Commission shall have the power to make such rules and regulations from time to time as it may deem necessary and proper for the enforcement of this Act, which rules and regulations when published by the Commission shall have the force and effect of law; provided, however, that any party affected adversely by any ruling of the Commission shall have the right of appeal within thirty (30) days thereafter to the Superior Court of Fulton County.

“The Commission shall at such times as it deems advisable and whenever it may have reason to believe that fraud is being or about to be perpetrated, investigate the business and affairs of every licensee, and for that purpose shall have free access to the vaults, books and papers thereof, and other sources

of information with regard to the business of such licensee and whether it has been transacted in accordance with this Act. The Commission, in making investigations may by subpoena compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and papers before it relating to any matter as to which it has jurisdiction under this Act. Any member of this Commission or the Chief Examiner shall have the power to administer oaths. Such subpoenas may be issued by any Commissioner or the Chief Examiner and shall be served in such manner as the Commission may provide, so long as the provisions of law relative to service of subpoenas in a court of law shall apply to subpoenas issued under this Act, in so far as they are possible. Witnesses, when testifying under subpoenas from the Commission, shall be allowed the same fees and expenses as are allowed witnesses testifying before the Railroad Commission, such fees to be charged against the party at whose instigation the witness was subpoenaed or against the funds of the Commission to be paid out on the order of the Chairman. In case any person shall willfully fail or refuse to obey such subpoena, it shall be the duty of the Judge of the Superior Court of any county, upon application of the Commission, to issue an attachment for such witness and compel him to attend before the Commission or the Chief Examiner and give his testimony upon such matters as shall be lawfully required by the Commission, and said court shall have the power to punish for contempt as in other cases of refusal to obey the process and order of such court.

“The Commission shall have the right to delegate to the Chief Examiner, who shall be its administrative officer, such powers and duties as it may see fit, and the acts of the Chief Examiner shall be regarded as the acts of the Commission when approved by that body.”

15. *Amendment to Section 28, first paragraph.* By adding at the end of said paragraph the following: “Provided that the Commission may within its discretion withhold from the public such matters of a private and a confidential nature as may be required by it of licensees in the administration of the law and exhibit them to such persons only as can show that they have a legal right thereto,” so that said paragraph when amended shall read as follows:

“Section 28. The Securities Commission shall have an official seal upon which shall be engraved the words. “Securities Commission of Georgia,” and in addition thereto such design as the Commission may prescribe. The Commission may prescribe and furnish forms for all statements and documents and summaries required by this Act to be filed in its office and such statements, documents and summaries shall follow substantially the forms so prescribed. All statements and documents and all other matters filed in the office of the Commission under the provisions of this Act shall at all proper hours be available for public inspection; provided that the Commission may within its discretion withhold from the public such matters of a private and confidential nature as may be required by it of licensees in the

administration of the law and exhibit them to such persons only as can show that they have a legal right thereto."

16. *New Section.* By inserting between Sections 35 and 36 the following new Section to be known as Section 35a.

"Section 35a. Any dealer in securities or issuer of securities in Class "C" as defined in this Act, his agent, broker, solicitor, officer, director, or other person who shall sell or offer securities for sale without first having obtained a license so to do shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction therefor shall be punished as prescribed in Section 1065 of the Penal Code of Georgia 1910.

"In addition to the penalty above provided, the Commission may through the Attorney-General apply to the Superior Court of the County of the residence of any dealer for an injunction against such dealer who shall offer or sell securities without first securing a license so to do or who shall continue to offer or sell securities after his license has been revoked or not renewed; and the Court, shall on proof of the findings presented by the Attorney-General for the Commission issue an order declaring the business of such dealer to be a public nuisance and restraining him from further exercise thereof for such time as the Court may deem necessary and proper.

17. *New Section.* By inserting immediately after the foregoing and additional new Section to be known as Section 35b as follows:

“Section 35b. That in any suit, complaint, information, indictment, or other writ or proceeding, civil or criminal, laid or brought under this Act, it shall not be necessary to negative any of the exemptions provided by this Act; and the burden of proof of any such exemption claimed by the defendant shall be upon the defendant.”

18. *Amendment to Section 36.* By striking said section and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

“Section 36. Any issuer, dealer, broker, solicitor, agent or other person who shall sell or offer for sale any securities coming within Class “D” as defined in this Act, without having first secured a license so to do in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Act, shall be guilty of a felony, and on conviction therefor shall be punished by imprisonment in the State penitentiary for not less than two years nor more than five years.

“The publisher of any newspaper who shall print any advertisement offering for sale securities in Class “D” aforesaid, the issuer of which has not before submitting such advertisement, secured a license from the Commission to offer such securities and who has not complied with Section 23 of this Act in the writing of such advertisement, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction therefor shall be punished as prescribed in Section 1065 of the Penal Code of Georgia, 1910.”

19. *Amendment to Section 37.* By striking 37 and substituting therefor the following:

“Section 37. Any former licensee, whether issuer, dealer, or agent, who shall sell or offer for sale any securities or real estate in violation of the provisions of this Act after his license shall have been revoked or shall have expired and not been renewed, shall be guilty of a felony and, on conviction therefor, shall be confined in the State Penitentiary not less than two nor more than five years; any applicant or licensee who shall knowingly file with the Commission any false affidavit shall be guilty of false swearing and on conviction therefor shall be punished as prescribed in Section 262 of the Penal Code of Georgia 1910.

20. *New Section.* By inserting between Section 37 and 38 a new section to be known as Section 37a as follows:

“Sec. 37a. The Commission may in its discretion grant the application of a licensee of another State having requirements to be met preliminary to the offering of securities in said State substantially equivalent to those of this Act, on the filing by such applicant of a transcript of the record and documents filed with such other State together with a copy of the license issued him where a license is required, certified as correct by the proper official of said State, and on the payment of the necessary fees.

“Provided that said State shall grant the same privilege to applicants who are Georgia licensees; and provided further that an investigation of such applicant has been made by said State department within a period of not more than six months prior to

the filing of such application with the Georgia Commission.”

Sec. Be it enacted by authority aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passake of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 1.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Snow of 7th—

Senate Bill No. 39. A bill to provide for the return and transmission of interrogatories taken under provisions of Code of 1910.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 113, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Weaver of 11th and Akin of 4th—

Senate Bill No. 84. A bill to permit corporation to issue non par stock subject to consent of Railroad Commission of Georgia.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 106, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Messrs. Weaver of 11th and Akin of 4th—

Senate Bill No. 86. A bill to permit corporations, except insurance, bank and trust companies, to issue non-par stock.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

Mr. Culpepper, of Fayette, moved that House Resolution No. 234 be taken from the table and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was taken from the table and read:

By Mr. Stovall of McDuffie—

House Resolution No. 234. A resolution that the General Assembly adjourn sine die at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

Mr. MacIntyre, of Thomas, moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The resolution was lost.

By unanimous consent the following bill of the House was read and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Stone of Jeff Davis—

House Bill No. 940. A bill to amend the Constitution so as to abolish Tax Receiver of Jeff Davis County.

The Committee amendment was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

The bill involving a constitutional amendment the roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs:

Adams of Walton	Bush	Haddock
Anderson	Camp	Hamilton
Baldwin	Carswell	Hatcher of Burke
Beck	Childs	Hillhouse
Beckham	Clark of Colquitt	Hines of Sumter
Bentley	Clark of Webster	Holloway
Blalock	DeFoor	Horne
Bleckley	Dickerson	Howard of Forsyth
Bobo	Dudley	Howard of Screven
Bowen	Duncan of Dawson	Hufstetler
Boyett	Dykes	Jackson
Bozeman	Evans	Jones of Walker
Branch	Folsom	Johnson of Bartow
Brantley	Grant	Johnson of
Brown of Emanuel	Griffith	Chattahoochee
Brownlee	Guess	Kittrell

Langford of Hall	Perkins	Tyson
Lankford of Toombs	Phillips of Jasper	Valentino
Lewis	Pruett	Van Landingham
McClelland	Quincey	Van Zant
McClure	Ramsey	Vocelle
MacIntyre	Reville	Walker
Malone	Robinson	Wall
Manning	Russell	Whitaker of Lowndes
Mason	Smith of Haralson	Williams of Walton
Miles	Stone	Winship
Moore of Appling	Stovall	Wynne
Owen	Strickland	
Penland	Sumner of Johnson	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Boswell	Holland	Price
Braddy	Houston	Salmon
Byrd of Crisp	Hullender	Sapp
Clifton	Hunter	Shettlesworth
Corbitt	Jones of Coweta	Smith of Carroll
Daniel of Heard	Johnson of Pickens	Smith of Meriwether
Daniel of Troup	Keith	Steele
Davis of Floyd	Logan	Sumner of Wheeler
Dobbs	McDonald of Mitchell	Swift
DuBose	McGarity	Thompson of Coweta
Gann	Maddox	Trippe
Griffin	Moore of Fulton	Watkins
Greene	Neal of Union	Whitaker of Rockdale
Grovenstein	Nichols	Whitworth
Harris	Parks	Williams of Harris
Henderson	Parrish	Wood
Herring		

Those not voting were Messrs :

Adams of Newton	Brown of Hancock	DeLaPerriere
Arnold	Carr	Dixon
Atkinson	Coates	Duncan of Hall
Bird of Taliaferro	Collier	Ennis
Bloodworth	Collins	Ficklen
Boatwright	Cowart	Fletcher
Bowden	Culpepper	Fowler
Brannen	Davis of Oglethorpe	Foy

Franks	McMichael	Singletary
Gresham	Mann	Smiley
Gunnels	Mayo	Smith of Bryan
Hatcher of Muscogee	Mixon	Swindle
Hawkins	Moye	Tatum
Hines of Decatur	Mundy	Thompson of Dodge
Hodges	Patten	Turner
Houser	Perryman	Way
Hyman	Peterson	Webb
Jones of Thomas	Phillips of Telfair	Weston
Kennedy	Pickren	Whitley
King of Jefferson	Pilcher	Williams of Miller
King of Wilcox	Reagan	Wimberly
Knight	Ricketson	Woodard
Luke	Riley	Worthy
McDonald of	Rutherford	Wyatt
Richmond	Sibley	Mr. Speaker

Ayes 84, Nays 49.

By Unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 84, Nays 49.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

The following bill of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Messrs. Wall of 5th and David of 43rd—

Senate Bill No. 63. A bill to amend an Act to regulate banking in State of Georgia.

The following committee amendment was read and adopted:

Amend by striking Sub-Section 12 and renumbering subsequent sections accordingly.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill as amended, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 118, Nays 12.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed as amended.

The following resolution of the House was introduced, read the first time, and referred to the Committee on Rules:

By Mr. McMichael of Marion—

House Resolution No. 235. A resolution that Committee on Rules be requested not to set the Highway Bond Bill for consideration.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of Senate, to wit:

Senate Bill 254. A bill to amend Constitution so as to provide for issuance and sale of highway bonds.

Mr. Shettlesworth of Gwinnett moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION,

3 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the Speaker.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following bill of the Senate was read the first time and referred to the committee:

By Messrs. Ellis of 47th, Foy of 1st, and others—

Senate Bill No. 254. A bill to amend Constitution so as to provide for issuance and sale of highway bonds.

Referred to Committee on Amendments to the Constitution.

The following resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

By Messrs. Collins of Cherokee and Pickren of Charlton—

House Resolution No. 236. A resolution conveying thanks and appreciation to Lowe's Grand Theater for courtesies shown during the past session of the General Assembly.

By Messrs. Bobo, of Wilkes and Henderson of White—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 237. *Whereas*, the distin-

guished member of this House the Hon. James Hampton Grant, from the County of Habersham, being the eldest member in point of years in the House of Representatives, and

Whereas, The said James H. Grant will probably never again serve his county in the capacity of Legislator, owing to the fact that he is not offering for re-election.

Therefore be it resolved, That this House extend to the Honorable member from the County of Habersham, its appreciation of his long and faithful service, and express the hope that the remaining years of his life may be filled with peace and happiness.

The following bills and resolution of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Walker of 18th and Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 122. A bill to amend Code of 1910 so as to make the mother and equal heir with the father, brothers and sisters of a deceased intestate.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 108, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 299.. A bill to amend Code of 1910 relative to appointment of guardians for minors.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Resolution No. 107. A resolution to relieve the bondsmen of Price Hubbard, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 0.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By Mr. Johns of 27th—

Senate Bill No. 47. A bill to declare that growing crops shall be personalty, and for other purposes.

Mr. Webb, of Lowndes, moved that the bill be tabled and the motion was lost.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 117, Nays 6.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following message was received from His Excellency the Governor, through his Secretary, Mr. McCurry:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor, to deliver to the House of Representatives a communication in writing to which he respectfully invites your attention.

STATE OF GEORGIA:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

ATLANTA.

To The General Assembly:

I beg to again invite your especial attention, at this late hour in the session, and to again commend to your favorable consideration the bill to promote the forestry interests in Georgia.

It seems to me the bill in question is a distinctively progressive and necessary step in the development of a sound public policy; that it will tend to preserve our forests, our lumber interests and our naval

stores industry, and that every argument is in favor of its passage and that no legitimate objection can be offered to it. It involves no public expenditure.

I understand that Senate Bill No. 257, to accomplish these purposes, has already passed the Senate and is now pending in the House, and I earnestly hope that both Houses of the General Assembly may agree to this legislation before the adjournment of the present session.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. HARDWICK,

This August 17, 1922.

Governor.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bills as amended:

House Bill No. 233. A bill to appropriate \$65,000 for the use of the State Normal School at Valdosta.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bills:

House Bill No. 65. A bill relating to the placing out of children by persons other than the parents of such children.

House Bill No. 931. A bill to amend an Act to establish or aid in the establishment of consolidated public schools in each county of the State.

House Bill No. 998. A bill to appropriate an additional \$10,000 to the State Board of Entomology for the years 1922-23.

The following resolutions of the House were read and adopted:

By Messrs. Whitaker of Rockdale and Hamilton of Floyd—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 238. *Resolved that whereas* the Hon. W. E. Boatwright, member of the House of Representatives from the County of Emanuel has suffered a great loss in the death of his beloved wife, and

Whereas, the said W. E. Boatwright is now confined at his home with a serious illness,

Therefore be it resolved, that the members of the House of Representatives extend to Mr. Boatwright

their heartfelt sympathy in his recent grief, and wish for him an early recovery from his illness.

By Messrs. Whitaker of Rockdale and Hamilton of Floyd—

A RESOLUTION

House Resolution No. 239. *Whereas*, the Hon. Thomas N. Swift, a member of the House of Representatives from the County of Elbert has long represented the County of Elbert in the General Assembly of Georgia, and

Whereas, Mr. Swift is retiring from public service, he not offering for election to the next House,

Therefore be it Resolved, that the members of the House of Representatives express to him their high appreciation of his long and faithful service and regret that Georgia will lose his valued services.

Resolved further, That the members of this House wish for him a long and peaceful life, full of happiness.

Mr. Beckham of Dougherty moved that Senate Bill No. 257 be taken from the table and the motion prevailed.

The following bill of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering the Senate Amendment thereto:

By Mr. Vocelle of Camden—

House Bill No. 577. A bill relative to non-residents of Camden County fishing in said county.

The following Senate amendment was read and concurred in:

Amend by adding the following provision to Section 1: "Provided further, that none of the provisions of said bill shall apply to hook and line fishing in said Camden County."

The following bills of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Mr. Fleming of 10th—

Senate Bill No. 252. A bill to require the posting of rates in all hotels and to place the inspection of hotels and all laws governing hotels under the supervision of the State Board of Health, and for other purposes.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that Senate Bill No. 216 be taken from the table and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Ellis of 47th—

Senate Bill No. 38. A bill to provide a uniform County Commissioner's Law for such counties as

may require a commission form of County government, and for other purposes.

Mr. DeFoor of Clayton moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill Mr. Beckham, of Dougherty called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was sustained.

The roll call was ordered and the vote was as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs.

Adams of Newton	Clark of Colquitt	Herring
Arnold	Corbitt	Hillhouse
Atkinson	Daniel of Heard	Hines of Decatur
Beck	Davis of Floyd	Hines of Sumter
Beckham	DeFoor	Holland
Bentley	Dickerson	Houser
Bird of Taliaferro	Dixon	Howard of Forsyth
Bleckley	Dobbs	Hufstetler
Bloodworth	DuBose	Hyman
Bowen	Dykes	Jackson
Boyett	Emmis	Jones of Coweta
Bozeman	Folsom	Johnson of Bartow
Braddy	Fowler	Johnson of
Branch	Foy	Chattahoochee
Brannen	Grovenstein	Keith
Brantley	Guess	Kittrell
Brown of Emanuel	Hamilton	Lankford of Toombs
Brown of Hancock	Harris	Lewis
Bush	Hatcher of Burke	Logan
Byrd of Crisp	Hatcher of Muscogee	Luke
Camp	Hawkins	McClelland
Childs	Henderson	McClure

McDonald of Mitchell	Pruett	Trippe
McDonald of Richmond	Quincey	Tyson
McMichael	Reagan	Turner
Maddox	Salmon	Valentino
Mann	Sibley	Van Zant
Mixon	Singletery	Vocelle
Moore of Appling	Smith of Meriwether	Walker
Moore of Fulton	Steele	Wall
Moye	Stone	Webb
Mundy	Stovall	Weston
Nichols	Sumner of Johnson	Whitley
Patten	Sumner of Wheeler	Whitaker of Lowndes
Perkins	Swift	Williams of Walton
Peterson	Tatum	Winship
Phillips of Telfair	Thompson of Coweta	
	Thompson of Dodge	

Those voting in the negative were Messrs :

Adams of Walton	Horne	Pickren
Anderson	Houston	Pilcher
Brownlee	Howard of Screven	Price
Carr	Hullender	Ramsey
Clifton	Hunter	Reville
Coates	Jones of Thomas	Robinson
Collins	Jones of Walker	Sapp
Daniel of Troup	Johnson of Pickens	Shettlesworth
DeLaPerriere	Langford of Hall	Smiley
Duncan of Hall	McGarity	Smith of Haralson
Evans	MacIntyre	Strickland
Franks	Malone	Watkins
Gann	Mason	Way
Grant	Miles	Whitaker of Rockdale
Gresham	Neal of Union	Whitworth
Griffin	Owen	Williams of Harris
Griffith	Parks	Wood
Greene	Penland	Wyatt
Gunnels	Phillips of Jasper	

Those not voting were Messrs :

Baldwin	Bobo	Carswell
Blalock	Boswell	Clark of Webster
Boatwright	Bowden	Collier

Cowart	King of Jefferson	Smith of Bryan
Culpepper	King of Wilcox	Smith of Carroll
Davis of Oglethorpe	Knight	Swindle
Dudley	Manning	Van Landingham
Duncan of Dawson	Mayo	Williams of Miller
Ficklen	Parrish	Wimberly
Fletcher	Perryman	Woodard
Haddock	Ricketson	Worthy
Hodges	Riley	Wynne
Holloway	Russell	Mr. Speaker
Kennedy	Rutherford	

Ayes 109, Nays 56.

By unanimous consent the verification of the roll call was dispensed with.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 109, Nays 56.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

The following report of the Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 41 was read:

Mr. Speaker:

We the undersigned Conference Committee on the part of the House and Senate as to the Senate Bill No. 41, known as the free school Book Bill, beg to report that we are unable to agree and ask that another Conference Committee be appointed.

Respectfully submitted,

On part of Senate:

B. F. WALKER, Chairman,
J. H. BOYKIN,
ROUNTREE,

On part of House :

I. H. P. BECK, Chairman,

C. W. FOY,

E. B. GRESHAM.

The Speaker appointed the following members of the House on the part of the House as a new Conference Committee on Senate Bill No. 41:

Messrs: McMichael of Marion,

Moore of Fulton,

Jones of Coweta.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The President has appointed as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate to act with a Conference Committee from the House with reference to Senate Bill No. 41, the following Senators:

Messrs: Rountree,

Walker,

Boykin.

The following bill of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 16. A bill to create the office of State Auditor.

Mr. Boswell of Green moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following committee substitute was read and adopted:

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to create the office of State Auditor and an Auditing Department; to provide the method of his appointment, and length of his term of office; to define his powers and duties; to fix his compensation and the compensation of the employees of the Auditing Department; to provide for the appointment of clerical assistants and their compensation; to fix penalties for the refusal to submit books and records, and furnish such information as may be called for by such auditor and Auditing Department; to provide for inspection by the State Auditor and the Auditing Department of the various state departments, institutions, bureaus and agencies, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that the office of State Auditor be and the same is hereby created, and an Auditing Department is hereby created and established. The auditor shall be appointed by and be amenable to the State In-

investigating and Budget Commission heretofore created and now existing, and his term of office shall be two years, subject to the provisions herein provided. It shall be the duty of such auditor and the Auditing Department, acting under the direction of the State Investigating and Budget Commission, to examine the books, records, vouchers, papers, warrants and all other records kept by the various departments, institutions, commissions, bureaus and officers of the state, and to report to the State Investigating and Budget Commission the condition of such departments, institutions, commissions, bureaus and officers, and to point out in such report all failures to keep records as required by law, and to report all inaccuracies, irregularities and shortages and make such further and additional report as the State Investigating and Budget Commission may require from time to time.

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that it shall be the duty of each and all of the State Departments, Institutions, Commissions, Bureaus and Officers to furnish from time to time at the request of such auditor all the books, papers, warrants, documents and records and such information as such Departments, Institutions, Commissions, Bureaus and Officers may have, in order that the auditor and Auditing Department may be able to make a complete and accurate audit of such Departments, Institutions, Commissions, and officers.

Section 3. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that should any department, institution,

commission, bureau or officer of said state, which is required by this act to be audited, refuse to submit to the Auditor and Auditing Department for inspection and examination any records or warrants to aid the Auditor in such examinations and inspections according to the provisions of this Act, and should the responsible officer in charge thereof willfully withhold from such auditor and Auditing Department any record or records, warrants, books or other information within the possession and control of such department, institution, commission, bureau or officer for the purpose of preventing their complete audit of such warrants, records, and departments, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished as provided by Section 1065, Volume 2, Code 11.

Section 4. Be it further enacted that the State Auditor herein provided for shall be selected and appointed by the State Investigating and Budget Commission, said auditor shall be a licensed certified public accountant and he shall be appointed for a term of two years and he shall hold his office for two years from the date of his appointment, unless removed by the State Investigating and Budget Commission for the failure to discharge the duties of his office to the satisfaction of such commission.

Section 5. The Auditor may by the consent of the Commission employ an assistant whose salary shall not exceed \$3,000 per annum and also employ a stenographer whose salary shall not exceed \$1,500.00 per annum. The salary of the auditor shall be \$5,000 per

annum. The actual traveling expenses of the auditor and the assistant auditor, acting under the direction of the auditor, when properly itemized and verified shall also be paid by the State.

Section 6. The provisions of this Act shall in no way effect the duties of the auditor as defined and provided for in Section 65 of an Act Codifying the school laws of the State of Georgia approved August 19th, 1919.

Section 7. The provisions of this Act are intended to cover and include the provisions of the Act creating the State Investigating and Budget Commission and to authorize the Auditor and Auditing Department to examine all the records and budgets made by departments, institutions, bureaus, commissions, and officers of state under the direction of the investigating Budget Commission and to furnish said commission such report or reports thereon as may be called for by said commission.

Section 8. The provisions of this Act shall not go into effect until thirty days after its approval by the governor.

Section 9. Be it further enacted that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 107, Nays 10.

The bill having received the requisite constitutional majority was passed.

By unanimous consent the bill was ordered immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Lankford of Toombs County, Chairman of the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Amendments to the Constitution have had under consideration the following bill of the Senate and have instructed me as Chairman, to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that the same do pass by substitute:

Senate Bill No. 254. In reference to Road Bonds.

LANKFORD of Toombs, Chairman.

Mr. Mundy of Polk moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until 8:00 o'clock to-night.

Mr. Stovall of McDuffie moved that when the House adjourn it stand adjourned until to-night at 9:00 o'clock.

By unanimous consent the night session was set for 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Watkins of Butts moved that the House do now adjourn and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned until to-night at 8:30 o'clock.

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NIGHT SESSION,

8:30 o'Clock P. M.

The House met again at this hour and was called to order by the **Speaker**.

By unanimous consent the call of the roll was dispensed with.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the following resolution of the Senate, to-wit:

Senate Resolution No. 113. A resolution providing for a World's Fair and Maritime Exposition at Savannah and Atlanta in 1926.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and adopted:

By Messrs. Manson of 35th and Foy of 1st—

Senate Resolution No. 113. A resolution providing for a Worlds Fair and Maritime Exposition in Georgia in 1926.

The following bills of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, were read the third time and placed upon their passage:

By Messrs. Brown of 50th and Thomas of 3rd—

Senate Bill No. 269. A bill for the protection of game animals, game birds, fish, oysters and for other purposes.

Mr. Carswell of Wilkinson moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Ridley of 28th—

Senate Bill No. 159. A bill to revise the present laws creating the Georgia State Board of Pharmacy, and for other purposes.

Mr. Howard of Forsyth moved that the bill be tabled and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Dykes of Dooly moved that Senate Bill No. 269 be taken from the table.

On this motion Mr. Brannen of Bullock called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion to take Senate Bill No. 269 from the table was lost.

By Mr. Golucke of 19th—

Senate Bill No. 42. A bill to amend the Constitution relative to the carrying of side arms, such as pistols and the like, and for other purposes.

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the bill be tabled and the motion was lost.

By Mr. Wall of 5th—

Senate Bill No. 236. A bill to amend the Georgia Motor Vehicle Law by adding a section providing for a reasonable time for obtaining a motor license and for other purposes.

Mr. Watkins of Butts moved that the bill and all amendments be tabled and the motion was lost.

Mr. Mason of Hart moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The committee substitute as amended was read and adopted.

The report of the Committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was agreed to as amended.

On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 70, Nays 65.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

By Messrs. Ellis of 37th, Foy of 1st, and others—

Senate Bill No. 254. A bill to amend Constitution so as to permit issuance and sale of Highway Bonds.

Mr. Watkins of Butts made the point of order that the House could not legally pass upon the above bill because it had not been read three times on three consecutive days and that being a revenue producing measure could not originate in the Senate.

Mr. McMichael of Marion made the point of order that the House could not legally pass upon the above bill because it had not been read three times on three consecutive days and that the same was headed and designated "A Bill."

The Chair ruled that any proposal to amend the fundamental laws of the State can be made by resolution submitted to the House and read and that the language of the Constitution is a restriction on the passage of a law but not a restriction on submitting matter to the people.

The Chair overruled the points of order made by Messrs. Watkins of Butts and McMichael of Marion.

Mr. McMichael of Marion appealed from the decision of the Chair.

On the appeal from the decision of the Chair Mr. Mason of Hart moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The decision of the Chair was upheld and stood in the judgment of the House.

Mr. Shettlesworth of Gwinnett moved that the bill, substitute and all amendments be tabled.

On this motion Mr. Lewis of Colquitt called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion to table was lost.

Mr. Hyman of Washington moved the previous question on the original bill, substitute and all

amendments; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The substitute and all amendments were lost.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill by substitute, was disagreed to by a vote of 43 to 73 and the bill was lost.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed as amended by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of House, to-wit:

House Bill No. 626. A bill to amend Act relative to payment of poll tax by women.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bill as amended:

House Bill No. 129. A bill to pay old and new class pensioners certain sums for 1922. ..

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bill by substitute as amended:

House Bill No. 210. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Bill as amended, to-wit:

House Bill No. 73. A bill to make for the year 1922 additional appropriation for the maintenance of the military establishment of the State.

The following bill of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was taken from the table and placed upon its passage:

By Messrs. Ellis of 47th, Mills of 26th, and others—

Senate Bill No. 257. A bill to promote forestry interest in the State under the direction of the Georgia State Board of Forestry.

Mr. Bowden of Ware moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The amendment by Mr. Beckham of Dougherty was read and adopted.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was agreed to as amended.

• On the passage of the bill the Ayes were 89, Nays 30.

The bill having failed to receive the requisite constitutional majority was lost.

The following bills and resolutions of the House were taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments thereto:

By Mr. Reagan of Henry—

House Bill No. 626. A bill to amend Act to annually in addition to the ad valorem tax on real and personal property to levy and collect a tax for the support of State Government and public institutions, and for other purposes.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amend as follows: By adding the following proviso: "Provided that all females are required to pay all back poll taxes due from the time they shall become eligible to vote to the date of their registration."

Mr. Reagan of Henry moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment and the motion prevailed.

By Mr. Henderson of White—

House Resolution No. 129. A resolution to pay the old class pensioners \$226,700.00 for 1922 and new class pensioners \$975,000.00.

The following Senate amendments were read and adopted:

Amend Paragraph 4 of said Resolution 129 by adding after the word “and” at the end of said paragraph the following: “The sum of \$1,250,000.00 appropriated to pay said class of pensioners for the year 1923 shall be used to pay this class of pensioners the amount due each of them in full for said year 1923.”

Also amend said Resolution No. 129 by adding a new paragraph as follows:

Resolved, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this resolution be and the same are hereby repealed.

Amend further by striking the word “available” in the 19th line after the word “funds” and before the word “in”.

Bill shall be amended so that said appropriation be paid to the pensioners without any reference or consideration whatever to that portion of Sub-Paragraph “D” of Section Thirteen that reads as follows: “The same to be paid to that class of pensioners showing a pension prior to the acts of 1919 and the amount to be the same as paid prior to all acts of 1910.”

Mr. Wyatt of Troup moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments and the motion prevailed.

By Messrs. Whitaker and Webb of Lowndes and Woodard of Cook—

House Bill No. 233. A bill to appropriate \$65,000 to the South Georgia State Normal College at Valdosta.

Mr. Mason of Hart moved the previous question on all amendments; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

The following Senate amendments were read and concurred in:

Amend by striking the words and figures “1924 and 1926” and by inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures “1923 and 1924”.

Amend by adding a new Section as follows:

“That the sum of \$10,000 is hereby appropriated to promote further efficiency at the Georgia School for the Blind.”

Amend by adding a new Section as follows:

“There shall also be appropriated out of the public funds of this State to the Trustees of the University of Georgia, for the North Georgia Agricultural College at Dahlonega the sum of \$3,000 for the year 1922 and \$3,500 for the year 1923.”

Also to amend caption so as to conform hereto.

Amend by adding a new Section to read as follows:

“That the sum of \$5,000 is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of the University of Georgia for the purpose of repairing buildings on the University Campus which appropriation was passed by the Committee last year but was overlooked in the printed bill.

Amend by adding a new Section to be numbered appropriately as follows:

“That there is appropriated to the Trustees of the University of Georgia for the use of the First District Agricultural and Mechanical School of Statesboro, Georgia, the sum of Six Thousand Five Hundred (\$6,500) Dollars and to be used for the purpose of paying off an indebtedness incurred in building and equipping a dining hall and teachers home, said sum to be paid during the year 1923.

Amend further by changing the caption of said bill to comply herewith.

Amend by adding a new Section, to be numbered appropriately, as follows:

“That there is appropriated \$12,148.00 to the trustees of the third District Agricultural and Mechanical School at Americus, Georgia, to be used to pay past due indebtedness of the school, and for other purposes.

Amend by adding a new Section as follows:

“And be it further provided that the sum of \$3,500 be and is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of the 5th District A. and M. School for the purpose of completing and equipping a dairy barn.”

Amend by adding a new Section as follows:

“That the sum of \$5,000 be appropriated to the 7th District Agricultural School to complete a building in progress of construction.”

Amend by adding a new Section to be known as Section 2 and to read as follows:

“Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the sum of Seven Thousand (\$7,000) Dollars, be and the same is hereby appropriated for the use of the Trustees of the Ninth District Agricultural School at Clarkesville, Georgia, to complete and equip the Girl's Dormitory on the Campus thereof. Said sum to be available in the year 1923.”

Amend caption to conform hereto and renumber the Sections accordingly.

Amend by adding a new Section as follows:

“That the sum of \$5,000 be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of the University of Georgia for the use of the Trustees of the A. and M. School of the 12th District located at Cochran, Georgia, for the purpose of finishing a Dormitory and to be paid out of any funds available in the State Treasury for such purposes.”

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following bill of House, to-wit:

A bill to appropriate \$16,800.00 for the purpose of supplying a deficiency in the maintenance of the Georgia Training School for Boys.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bill by substitute as amended:

House Bill No. 796. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof:

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House Resolutions as amended:

House Resolution No. 190. A resolution to make appropriations for stationery used by members of the General Assembly for the years 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923.

House Resolution No. 225. A resolution to establish a Library for Judge of the Superior Court of the Southern District at Augusta.

The following bills and resolutions of the House were taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments thereto:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 190. A resolution to make appropriation for stationery used by the General Assembly for years 1920-21 22-23.

The following Senate amendments were read:

Amend by adding in appropriate places the following:

1. To appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 as Contingent Fund for the Governor.
2. To appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to pay for additional insurance premiums for the State.
3. To appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to the Railroad Commission to defray the expenses of the Commission for acting as Commissioner for distribution of coal.
4. To appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 for the keeper of public buildings and grounds to provide for deficiency.

5. To appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to the University of Georgia on account of a mistake in the general appropriation for this institution.

6. To appropriate the sum of \$4,400.00 to the Department of Printing to take care of clerical assistance and maintenance of this department.

7. To appropriate \$3,000.00 to cover deficiency in incidental for supplies furnished the Senate and House for the years 1921-22; payable on approval of Secretary of Senate and Clerk of House.

8. Amend by striking the figures "\$1,200.00" wherever they occur in the resolution and inserting the figures "\$2,000.00"; also amend by inserting after the word "stationery" wherever it occurs the words "and printing."

9. Amend by adding the following: "That the sum of \$7,500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated for the 10th District Agricultural College located at Granite Hill in Hancock County for the maintenance, repairs and equipment of the buildings and grounds of said college."

10. Amend by adding the following: "\$184.30 is hereby appropriated to the Secretary of the Senate to cover deficiencies in fund for incidentals furnished the Senate, which have been paid by him for sessions 1921-22."

11. Provide for two extra doorkeepers and two extra assistant Messengers for the Senate, all of the above to be paid by the Treasurer upon approval by

the Secretary of the Senate or President of the Senate.

12. Also amend the caption in conformity with above.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House concur in Senate amendments Nos. 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 and disagree to amendments Nos. 3, 4 and 5, and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Knight of Berrien moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to agree to the favorable report of the committee on House Bill No. 828 and the motion was lost.

Mr. Moore of Fulton moved that the House reconsider its action in failing to pass Senate Bill No. 240, and the motion was lost.

By Mr. McDonald of Richmond—

House Resolution No. 225. A resolution to establish a Library for the Judge of the Federal Court for the Southern District at Augusta, and for other purposes.

The following Senate substitute was read and concurred in:

A RESOLUTION

Whereas, the District Court of the United States for the Southern District, is required in the administration of the laws governing the causes determined in said court to give effect to the laws of this State, as construed by the Supreme Court thereof;

Be it therefore resolved, by the Senate and the House of Representatives of Georgia in General Assembly met, and each concurring, that the State Librarian be and is hereby authorized to deliver to the clerk of the court aforesaid for the use of said court at such seat of said court as the Judge thereof may designate, continuations of Georgia Reports, Georgia Appeals Reports, Codes and Acts, the same to be delivered, in accordance with precedent, to his successor in office, by the clerk of said court.

By Mr. Williams of Harris—

House Bill No. 796. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize the State Highway Department.

The following Senate substitute was read and concurred in :

A BILL

An Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department of Georgia, and to prescribe the duties and powers thereof; to create a system of State Aid Roads and provide for the designation, maintenance, improvement and construction of the same; to create and provide for a State Aid Road and for the control and management thereof; to provide for the paving of said State Aid Roads by the State, or co-operation with the county or with the United States Government; to provide for assistance to counties upon the public roads thereof and in retiring road bonds, to assent to the pre-

visions of the Act of Congress, approved July 11, 1916, known as the **'Act to provide that the United States shall aid the State in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes, in order to provide for construction and maintenance of State Aid Roads within the corporate limits of certain towns and cities and for other purposes.**

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that provision 5, section 5, article 5 of Georgia Laws of 1919, and amendments thereto, Act 1921, to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department of Georgia and to prescribe its powers and duties, be amended by adding at the end of said Provision, Section, and Paragraph the following: Provided said State Highway Board is authorized to construct and maintain State Aid Roads in and through towns or cities of not more than twenty-five hundred people.

Section 2. Be it further enacted by authority aforesaid, That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

By Mr. Smith of Meriwether—

House Bill No. 210. A bill to amend an Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department.

The following Senate substitute was read and concurred in:

A BILL

To be entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled “An Act to reorganize and reconstruct a State Highway Department of Georgia, and to prescribe the duties and powers thereof; to create a system of State-Aid roads, and provide for the designation, maintenance, improvement and construction of the same; to create and provide for a State-Aid Road Fund, and for the control and management thereof; to provide for the paving of State-Aid Roads by the State, or in co-operation with the counties or with the United States Government; to provide for assistance to counties upon the Public Roads thereof, and in retiring County Road Bonds; to assent to the Act of Congress approved July 11, 1916, known as the “Act to provide that the United States shall aid the State in the construction of rural post road, and for other purposes;” to provide the right to condemn property for State-Aid Roads in certain cases; and for other purposes” by striking Section Five (5) of Article Three (3) of said Act, which provides for an Attorney for the State Highway Board, and substituting in lieu thereof a new Section to be known as Section Five (5) authorizing the State Highway Department and the county authorities to regulate the maximum load or weight that may be transported over certain bridges and approaches in this State, the giving of notice thereof, and providing of a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Section, and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the Act approved August 18, 1919, entitled "An Act to reorganize and reconstruct the State Highway Department of Georgia, and to prescribe the duties and powers thereof; to create a system of State-Aid Roads and provide for the designation, maintenance, improvement and construction of the same; to create and provide for a State-Aid Road Fund, and for the control and management thereof; to provide for the paving of said State-Aid Roads by the State, or in co-operation with the counties or with the United States Government, to provide for assistance to counties upon the public roads thereof, and in retiring County Road Bonds; to assent to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 11, 1916, known as the "Act to provide that the United States shall aid the State in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes;" to provide the right to condemn property for State-Aid Roads in certain cases; and for other purposes, be amended by striking Section Five (5) of Article Three (3) of said Act and substituting in lieu thereof the following to-wit: Section Five (5). The State Highway Department is authorized to ascertain and determine the maximum load or weight that can with safety be transported over any bridge and its approaches on the State-Aid Road. The county authorities in each county of this State shall have similar power with respect to any bridge and its approaches within such county not State-Aid Roads. The State Highway Department and the

county authorities respectively shall be authorized to post on any such bridge a legible notice showing the maximum amount which has been so ascertained such bridge or its approaches can carry with safety, and any person hauling, driving or otherwise bringing on any such bridge or its approaches any load or weight exceeding the rated capacity so ascertained and posted, shall do so at their own risk, and neither the State nor County shall be liable for any damages to persons or property that may result therefrom. And it shall be unlawful for any person to haul, drive or otherwise bring on such bridge or its approaches, any load or weight exceeding the rated capacity so ascertained and posted, and upon conviction therefor, shall be punished as prescribed in Section 1065 of the Penal Code of 1910.

Section 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of same, that all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

The following Senate amendments to the above substitute were read and concurred in:

Amend substitute to House Bill No. 210, by adding a new section to be numbered 2 before the repealing clause, the latter to be numbered appropriately as follows: Section 2. Amend Georgia Highway Laws, Acts of the General Assembly 1919, by adding the following provision to Article 3, Section 3, Paragraph 2:

Provided further, the State Highway Board shall

determine the number of employees, designate their place of labor, prescribe their duties, fix their compensation, and also the salary of the Chairman (including the year 1922) who shall devote all of his time and attention to the discharge of the duties of his office, who shall represent the Board and is vested with all the power and authority of same when not in session. No person shall be appointed to or discharged from any position in the State Highway Department without the approval of the Board, or when it is not in session by the Chairman.

Amend by striking out last sentence in Section one which provides a misdemeanor.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has passed by the requisite constitutional majority the following House bill as amended, to-wit:

House Bill No. 655. A bill to appropriate \$150,000 for the purpose of supplying a deficiency in the maintenance of the Georgia State Sanitarium.

By Messrs. Culpepper of Fayette and McMichael of Marion—

House Bill No. 873. A bill to make additional appropriation for maintenance of the military establishment of the State for 1922, and for other purposes.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amend by striking the words “of troops on riot or special duty” in the 9th line of Section 1.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House disagree to the above Senate amendment, and the motion prevailed.

The following bill of the Senate, set as a special order by the Committee on Rules, was read the third time and placed upon its passage:

By Mr. Manson of 35th—

Senate Bill No. 306. A bill to establish kindergartens in public schools of this State.

The report of the committee, which was favorable to the passage of the bill, was disagreed to and the bill was lost.

The following bill and resolution of the Senate were taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments thereto:

By Mr. Ennis of Baldwin—

House Bill No. 655. A bill appropriating \$150,000.00 for the purpose of supplying a deficiency in the maintenance of the Georgia State Sanitarium, and for other purposes.

The following Senate amendment was read:

Amend by adding the following words: “That the sum of forty thousand dollars be and the same is

hereby appropriated to the Board of Trustees of the Georgia State Sanitarium, for the purpose of completing building known as 'Nurses Home.' Said amount being available as required by Trustees."

Caption of said bill to be amended to comply with above.

Mr. Ennis of Baldwin moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment.

On this motion Mr. McMichael of Marion moved the previous question; the motion prevailed, and the main question was ordered.

On the motion to concur in the Senate amendment Mr. Wyatt of Troup called for the Ayes and Nays and the call was not sustained.

The motion that the House concur in the Senate amendment prevailed.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate insists on amendments Nos. 3, 4 and 5 to the following House resolution:

House Resolution No. 190. A bill to make appropriation for stationery used by the General Assembly for years 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923.

The Senate has also receded from its amendment to the following House bill:

House Bill No. 873. A bill to appropriate addi-

tional funds for the maintenance of the military establishments of State of Georgia.

The following resolution of the House was taken up for the purpose of considering Senate amendments thereto to which the House has disagreed and upon which the Senate insisted:

By Mr. Arnold of Clay—

House Resolution No. 190. A resolution to make appropriation for stationery used by General Assembly for years 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the House recede from disagreement on amendments No. 3 and No. 4 and not recede from disagreement to amendment No. 5.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that a Conference Committee be appointed on the above resolution, and the motion prevailed.

The Speaker appointed the following members of the House as a Conference Committee on the part of the House on House Resolution No. 190:

Messrs. Arnold of Clay,
Dykes of Dooly,
Bowden of Ware.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The President has appointed as a Conference Com-

mittee on the part of the Senate, to act with a Conference Committee from the House, with reference to House Resolution No. 190, known as the Stationery Resolution, the following Senators:

Messrs. Walker,
Wall,
Hutchens.

The following report of the Conference Committee on House Resolution No. 190 was submitted and read:

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Conference on House Bill No. 190 beg leave to submit the following report:

We recommend that the House recede from its position on amendments No. 3 and No. 4. That the Senate recede on amendment No. 5.

We further recommend that amendment No. 3 be amended by adding: "That said sum shall be a revolving fund and shall revert to the Treasury."

B. F. WALKER,

H. C. HUTCHENS,

DAN WALL,

On part of Senate.

ZACH ARNOLD,

C. B. DYKES,

JET BOWDEN,

On part of House.

Mr. Arnold of Clay moved that the above report be adopted and the motion prevailed.

The following resolution of the House was read and adopted:

By Mr. Mundy of Polk—

House Resolution No. 240. A resolution to notify the Governor that the General Assembly was ready to adjourn sine die.

The Speaker appointed the following committee on the part of the House to notify the Governor that the General Assembly had completed all business before it and was ready to adjourn sine die:

Messrs. Mundy of Polk,
Watkins of Butts,
Wyatt of Troup.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has adopted the report of the Conference Committee with reference to Senate amendments to House Bill No. 190.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:

The Senate has read and adopted the resolution of the House, to-wit:

A resolution providing for a Joint Committee to inform the Governor that the General Assembly now stands ready to adjourn sine die.

The President has appointed the following Senators, as a Committee on the part of the Senate:

Messrs. Thomas of 3rd,
Manson of 35th.

Mr. Hullender, Chairman of the Committee on Enrollment, submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Enrollment has examined, found properly enrolled, duly signed and ready for delivery to the Governor, the following Acts and Resolutions, to-wit:

House Resolution No. 233. A resolution to extend to Miss Wyley thanks for composing music to song "Georgia."

House Resolution No. 240. A resolution appointing committee to notify the Governor that the General Assembly stands ready to adjourn sine die.

House Bill No. 959. An Act to establish a new charter for the Town of Locust Grove.

House Bill No. 865. An Act to appropriate cer-

tain money to pay debts due on public printing by the State of Georgia.

House Bill No. 993. An Act to repeal and amend charter of the Town of Cooledge.

House Bill No. 805. An Act to prohibit taking of fish from any waters of streams of State with certain instruments for five years.

House Bill No. 726. An Act to amend the Act known as the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act.

House Bill No. 967. An Act to create a new charter for the City of Richland.

House Bill No. 680. An Act to amend the Georgia Workmen's Compensation Act.

House Resolution No. 160. A resolution to appropriate \$2,000.00 to defray expenses of Mansion Leasing Commission.

House Bill No. 107. An Act to amend an Act codifying the School Laws of Georgia, relative to teaching of vocal music in the public schools.

House Resolution No. 81. A resolution to provide for survey of lands known as Colony lands.

House Bill No. 999. An Act to amend act establishing the City Court of Cairo.

House Bill No. 936. An Act to empower certain cities to hold recorder's court in absense of recorder.

House Bill No. 995. An Act to repeal an Act to create the Commissioners for Glascock County.

House Bill No. 980. An Act to create a Board of Commissioners for Lamar County.

House Bill No. 997. An Act to repeal an Act creating Board of Commissioners for Jeff Davis County.

House Bill No. 1004. An Act to amend section 755 of Criminal Code of 1910, relative to cruelty to animals.

House Bill No. 996. An Act to amend an Act creating a new charter for the town of Decatur.

House Bill No. 956. An Act to amend the charter of the Town of Tybee.

House Bill No. 848. An Act to create a Board of Education for Lamar County.

House Bill No. 204. An Act to appropriate certain sums to Georgia Training School for Boys.

House Bill No. 626. An Act to amend an Act to levy and collect tax on property for support of State Government.

House Resolution No. 129. A resolution to pay old and new class pensioners certain sums of money.

House Bill No. 982. An Act to amend an Act appropriating money to Georgia Training School for mental defectives.

House Bill No. 651. An Act to appropriate money to Georgia Training School for Girls.

House Bill No. 579. An Act to supply deficiency

in school funds caused by misappropriation of R. N. Berrien.

House Bill No. 655. An Act to appropriate money to Georgia State Sanitarium for deficiency.

House Bill No. 233. An Act to appropriate to South Georgia State Normal College, at Valdosta, and others, certain sums of money.

House Bill No. 851. An Act to authorize certain counties to maintain fire houses.

House Bill No. 768. An Act to prevent certain persons voting in militia districts of no-fence laws.

House Bill No. 895. An Act to amend the charter of the City of East Point relative to bonds.

House Bill No. 745. An Act to amend the act establishing Confederate Soldiers' Home of Georgia.

House Bill No. 857. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Savannah.

House Bill No. 791. An Act to authorize levy of taxes for educational purposes in certain counties.

House Bill No. 1003. An Act to amend an Act incorporating the Town of Carl in Gwinnett County.

House Bill No. 553. An Act to provide for Temperance Day in the public schools.

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House Bill No. 1000. An Act to amend an Act reincorporating the Town of Abbeville.

House Bill No. 965. An Act to amend an Act incorporating the Town of McCaysville.

House Bill No. 577. An Act requiring non-residents of Camden County to procure a license to fish in waters of said County.

House Bill No. 970. An Act to amend the charter of the Town of Donaldsville.

House Bill No. 984. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Douglas.

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House Bill No. 675. An Act to define the liability of Hotel Keepers.

House Bill No. 931. An Act to amend an Act establishing consolidated public schools in each County of State.

House Resolution No. 148. A resolution to authorize the sale of certain lands owned by the State for benefit of First District A. & M. School.

House Resolution No. 221. A resolution providing for payment of expenses of joint committee on Board of Regents Bill.

House Resolution No. 200. A resolution providing for a school building site on the State Farm.

House Resolution No. 167. A resolution to relieve the surety on the bond of J. B. Hall.

House Resolution No. 225. A resolution to establish a library for Judge of Federal Court of the Southern District, at Augusta.

House Bill No. 328. An Act to provide for the election prescribed in Par. 1, sec. 4, art. 8, of the constitution, relative to taxes for school purposes.

House Bill No. 65. An Act relative to placing out of children by persons other than their parents.

House Bill No. 963. An Act to establish a new charter for the Town of Danville.

House Bill No. 930. An Act to amend and revise the charter of the Town of Doerun.

House Bill No. 1001. An Act to amend an Act re-incorporating the Town of Abbeville.

House Bill No. 808. An Act to authorize the State to pay certain counties their pro rata share of funds from products on National Forest Reservation.

House Bill No. 775. An Act to empower County authorities to provide and keep in repair suitable quarters for holding of Justice of the Peace courts.

House Bill No. 894. An Act to amend the charter of the City of Marietta.

House Bill No. 821. An Act to amend par. 1, sec. 13, of Art. 6 of the constitution, relative to salaries of Judges of the Superior courts.

House Bill No. 873. An Act to make additional appropriation for maintenance of Military Department.

House Bill No. 998. An Act to appropriate additional money to Georgia State Board of Entomology.

House Resolution No. 190. A resolution to make appropriations for stationery, printing and incidentals, used by the General Assembly for years 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923.

House Bill No. 210. An Act to amend an Act "To reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department," and for other purposes.

House Bill No. 260. An Act to change the name of the Railroad Commission to the Georgia Public Service Commission.

House Bill No. 796. An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to reorganize and reconstitute the State Highway Department, and for other purposes."

Respectfully submitted,

HULLENDER of Catoosa, Chairman.

The committee to notify the Governor that the General Assembly was now ready to adjourn sine die reported that the office of the Governor had been notified and that no objection was made to the resolution to adjourn sine die.

The following message was received from the Senate, through Mr. McClatchey, the Secretary thereof.

Mr. Speaker:—

The Senate has read and adopted the following Resolution of the Senate.

Resolved that the General Assembly do now stand adjourned sine die.

The following resolution of the Senate was read and concurred in :

A resolution that the General Assembly do now stand adjourned sine die.

The Speaker announced the House adjourned sine die.

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